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PRESIDENT MADERO FLEES; DESERTED BY LOYAL GENERAL

Head of 4,000 Troops Declines to Check Revolutionists.

HIS REIGN ENDED IS BELIEF

Understood President Seeks to Sail for Foreign Country; 250 Killed in Fighting at Capital Since Saturday; Felix Diaz Heads the Revolt.

United Press Telegram.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 10.—President Madero and his family fled from the city today following the announcement of General Blanquet that he would not attack the revolutionary troops of General Felix Diaz.

General Blanquet at the head of 4,000 Federal troops this morning marched to the National Palace and in a quiet manner announced to the people that he would not raise a hand to stop the onward march of the revolutionists.

General Blanquet was considered the most reliable officer and staunchest friend of the Madero administration.

A report gained circulation today that Madero's Cabinet has resigned. This, however, has not been confirmed. It is understood that Madero and his family are fleeing towards the eastern coast, there to take ship to a foreign country. Madero's action in fleeing from the city is considered as terminating his reign.

The fighting since Saturday night has resulted in the killing of 250 and the wounding of 800 persons. It is understood that many Americans living here are among the slain.

Following the death of General Reyes, who was shot on Friday, his son, Rodolfo, crazed by grief, committed suicide.

Great anxiety is felt here as to the action of General Diaz, who has announced that he intends storming the national palace. Four hundred miners arrived in town last night and joined the revolutionists. They brought several large guns and a quantity of dynamite with them, and it is understood that Diaz intends using these instruments in storming the palace.

What Diaz will do with the troops who conducted the revolution against President Porfirio Diaz is a manner of conjecture, but members of these regiments are anxious for their own safety. Since the latest revolution began many of them have deserted from the Federal ranks, joining Diaz's troops.

Bands of raiders are sweeping over the country districts, killing and robbing the people and wrecking railroad trains. Since last Monday a half a dozen wrecks of passenger trains have occurred, and members of the train crews and passengers have been shot. Women passengers have been carried away into mountain hiding places, there to be held for ransom.

It is understood that General Diaz will march into the city sometime today. His troops are located not far distant, and his arrival is expected soon. As soon as he reaches here, Diaz will probably be proclaimed President.

The American Embassy here today is being guarded by 20 members of the American Protective Association. The rifles brought here several months ago, when danger threatened the American inhabitants of the city, were distributed among the guards.

While the fighting of yesterday occurred some distance from the Embassy, nearly a dozen bullets were discovered today imbedded in the walls of the building.

Ambassador Wilson today has been unable to confirm the report that three Americans were killed in the fighting Sunday.

Warning has been issued by the government for all foreigners to keep off the streets, but despite the order hundreds are crowding the streets in an effort to witness the fighting at close range.

AWAITING PERMIT.

Once Granted, Gas Company Will Lay New Mains.

As soon as it obtains a permit, the Fayette County Gas Company will begin laying a main from the mouth of Possum run, on the West Side, to the new quarters in the Masonic building. The main will be run over the Yough river bridge, and it is expected the work will be begun before the first of the month.

The company expects to move into its new quarters about February 15. The work of remodeling the structure is nearing completion and as soon as that is done, the change of offices will be made.

EXTENDING ITS LINES.

Bell Company Will Reach Leisenring No. 3 Within a Short Time.

The Bell telephone company is extending its lines in Dunbar township and within a few weeks will have it in operation. Already seven subscribers have been placed on that line and more are expected.

The new line is being constructed out of the Dunbar exchange. Heretofore the Bell lines have not reached that section of the county.

Foreigner Gets a Patent.

An Italian youth of Morgantown has been granted a patent on a trolley device. It was obtained before the lad could speak English. He is attending night school now.

WATER NOT TO BLAME FOR TYPHOID, STATE MAN SAYS

Does Not Think Cases are Caused Because of the Supply Here, View of Siebert.

S. L. Siebert of the State Health Department, who is in town making an investigation of the source of the typhoid contagion which resulted in 20 cases being reported to the Board of Health in January, declared this morning that he is of the opinion that he has been successful in his efforts. Mr. Siebert, however, desires to make a few additional experiments before making his discoveries public.

"Since coming here last week," he said, "I have investigated the various cases of typhoid reported and I find that the greater majority of them come from one source. What this source is I am unable to say, the reason that it would not be fair to the parties implicated. The results of my investigations may be at fault, but I do not think they are.

"A thorough probe will continue throughout this week at least. I expect one of the Western Pennsylvania health inspectors to arrive here today to assist me in the work."

Mr. Siebert declared that an investigation of all the sources of milk arriving in Connellsville is being made, and that the water supply will be analyzed. Nevertheless, he does not think that any of the cases sprang from contaminated water.

Four additional cases of typhoid and four cases of measles were reported to the Board of Health this morning. The typhoid patients are: Elizabeth Woods, H. Woods and Mrs. Margaret Woods of Sixth street, and Dorothy Rebar of Davidson.

Those ill with measles are: Leroy Hasteller of North Cottage avenue; Daniel Murphy of Third street; John and Lawrence Tuchour of the Arlington flats.

VISITS ARE ENCOURAGED

Bell Telephone Company Issues Invitations to Subscribers.

Invitations are being extended subscribers of the Bell company to visit the telephone exchange. Manager Thomas Simpson stated today that the company will immediately launch a campaign through which it is hoped to interest subscribers in the operation of the telephone service.

It is proposed to have classes at the High School inspect the central office to get practical information concerning the theory and practise of the telephone.

Business men will also receive invitations. Manager Simpson states that each subscriber will be personally requested to call. The object of the inspection is to give subscribers a better understanding of telephone work with a view to causing fewer complaints and to give better service generally.

POLICEMEN QUIT

Mount Pleasant Force Decides It Has Had Enough; One Returns.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 10.—The Mount Pleasant police force quit on Saturday. The policemen, Earl Herbert and Robert Smith, went to Greensburg, paid the costs in the automobile prosecutions, and returned to town where they turned in their equipment. The men declared they would not work under the present Town Council.

The trouble was caused by Council's action in the matter of costs. For a time the Council threatened to let the cops settle the bill, despite the fact that the arrests which caused the trouble were made at Council's direction. Yesterday afternoon Herbert returned to duty but Smith is still off.

ATTEND FIRST AID LECTURE.

Connellsville Bell Employes Hear Dr. Shields Talk.

Seven employes of the Bell Telephone Company at this place attended the first aid lecture given in Uniontown on Saturday by Dr. M. J. Shields of the American Red Cross Association. First aid work will be taken up by the telephone company in this section.

Those who attended from Connellsville were Jay Williamson, H. G. Moser, Z. S. Moon, J. R. Earl, W. A. Hickman, W. A. Walsh and J. M. Robinson. A Greensburg force kept things moving in the Connellsville office during their absence.

PRIZES FOR POTATOES.

Mountain Farmers Have Opportunity to Win Cash Rewards.

Allegany and Garrett county, Md., farmers will have an object in making an extra effort to grow large yields of potatoes this summer. At a recent meeting of the directors of the Allegany and Garrett County Agricultural Association it was decided to offer three cash prizes, amounting to $100, to the persons most successful in potato cultivation.

The contest will be under normal conditions and calls for the best yield of any variety of potatoes.

Case Continued a Week.

The habeas corpus proceedings brought by Mrs. Catherine Kerr of Connellsville to recover her infant child which is held by the husband, Albert H. Kerr and his mother, Mrs. Edith Kerr, was continued before Judge Van Swearingen until next Saturday. An important witness could not testify at the first hearing Saturday.

School Board Meets Tonight.

Several matters of importance will be considered at the regular meeting of the School Board tonight. Among them are the erection of the proposed new High School and the employing of teachers for the new department of manual training and domestic science.

More Slides in Culebra Cut Mean Extra Steam Shovel Work.

CAPTAIN SCOTT AND PARTY PERISH AFTER FINDING POLE

Daring British Explorer Followed Amundsen to Farthest South; All Die on Return Trip.

United Press Telegram.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The Central News Agency today publishes a report that Captain Robert F. Scott and his party of South Pole explorers perished near McMurdo Bay.

That Captain Scott reached the Pole and discovered documents and a hut left there by Captain Amundsen is proved by papers found on the persons of the explorers.

The number who perished with the expedition is said to have been 66 sailors and scientists.

Attempts were made today to reach Mrs. Scott, who is on her way to Wellington, New Zealand. She left England in January, with the expectation of meeting her husband at Wellington.

FOREIGNER IS CAUGHT.

Fireman William Cooney, Aided by Former Cop, Overpowers Man.

Threatening the lives of two small boys who were tormenting him, Joe Chino, a foreigner, was overpowered Saturday night by Fireman William Cooney, while in the act of drawing a large hunting knife from one of his pockets.

Cooney was attracted from the hose house by the sound of loud, threatening language issuing from the rear of the building on Fayette street. Running to the yard he witnessed the foreigner in the act of drawing the knife on the children.

Cooney obtained the assistance of former Patrolman Henry Geiger, and the two overpowered the man.

The prisoner was taken to the lockup and was given a hearing this morning by Burgess J. L. Evans, who fined him $5. Later he was arrested on a warrant from Squire Donegan's office, and was held under bail for his appearance at court to answer to the charge of carrying concealed weapons.

AT THE HOSPITAL.

Three New Patients are Admitted Over Sunday.

Three new patients were admitted to the Cottage State hospital over Sunday. Pat Adams, aged 33 years, an employe of the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Leisenring No. 1, was admitted for treatment of an infected finger.

Mike Gravino of Dunbar, employed in the mines of the W. J. Rainey Company, has slight injuries of the back as the result of an accident with which he met in the mines.

Ada Gaskill, aged 14 years, of Davidson, was admitted for a slight operation.

MANY CONVERSIONS.

Protracted Meetings at M. E. Church Results in 37.

At the close of three weeks' protracted meetings in the Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. R. C. Wolf, thirty-seven persons were received as members of the church on profession of faith.

Three new members were received yesterday morning into the Methodist Protestant Church. The evangelistic services conducted for the past three weeks by the Rev. R. E. Cairns, came to a close on Friday evening.

Feared Burglars; Aroused Neighbors.

Mrs. T. H. Edmonds of East Francis avenue, thought she heard a burglar at work in the front part of her home Friday night and she aroused the neighborhood. The scare proved unfounded.

Markle Estate Sale.

The personal property of Lida M. Markle, deceased, was disposed of at public sale at the late home on Cedar avenue, Saturday afternoon, at the instance of the executor, Attorney H. C. May.

BOTH CIGARETS AND DRINK ATTACKED BY BIBLE CLASSES HERE

Resolutions Ask Legislator to Support Reform Bills Pending.

BIG MEETING AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Rockwell Local Option Bill and the Anti-Cigarette Law are Endorsed by the Gathering; Representative Howard Will Get Petition from Here.

Drinking and cigaret smoking are among the evils to be attacked by the Bible classes of the churches of Connellsville.

Resolutions directing that Representative Reuben Howard of this district be petitioned to support the Rockwell local option bill, now pending in the State Legislature, were adopted and the Anti-Cigaret law was indorsed at a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium.

Probably tomorrow or Wednesday the Rockwell bill will be placed on the calendar of the House for consideration, and to make sure that Representative Howard learns of their action, a letter petitioning him to support the measure was mailed the representative last night. This was followed by a telegram sent today by Secretary E. T. Baer of the Yough Men's Christian Association.

Yesterday afternoon's meeting was probably one of the largest gatherings of Sunday school workers ever held in Connellsville to consider social evils of the day. Representatives from all of the Protestant churches were present, and several well known social reformers were in attendance. Among the latter were Lloyd Pierce, Superintendent of Municipal Y. M. C. A. work in Pittsburg; Secretary J. Hill, of the Johnstown Y. M. C. A., and J. J. Addison, who has charge of the Y. M. C. A work at Scottdale

Mr Pierce was the principal speaker, talking on "Christian Social Service." He handled his theme in a creditable and interesting manner, calling attention to the rapid growth of the cigaret habit among the youths of the country and to the steadily increasing liquor traffic.

The action of the meeting in indorsing the Anti-Cigaret law and in directing Secretary Baer to petition Representative Howard to support the Rockwell bill, followed Mr. Lloyd's address.

The delegation from the First Presbyterian Church, consisting of 32 members, was the largest present. The class from the First Methodist Episcopal Church with 25 was second, and the Baptists with 21 and the United Brethren with 18 followed. Representatives from the Methodist Protestant, the Lutheran and the Christian Churches were also in attendance.

Other meetings of a similar nature will be held at short intervals at the association rooms.

McLaughlin in Greensburg.

Sergeant Thomas McLaughlin, who is in charge of the detail of Troop A, State Constabulary, on duty here, spent Sunday at the barracks in Greensburg.

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness followed by snow tonight or Tuesday, is the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

	1913	1912
Maximum	36	14
Minimum	21	2
Mean	20	

The Yough river remained stationary at the 2.60 stage last night.

WELSH COAL MEN INVOLVED IN A $10,000,000 PROJECT

West Virginia and Kentucky Acreage About to be Taken Over, According to Broker.

The announcement that David Andrew Thomas, the head of the Welsh Colliery Combine, was in this country looking over coal lands with a view to purchasing and developing large tracts for the purpose of supplying the company's South American trade, has caused an active interest in coal land sales circles.

The announcement was made Saturday afternoon that a Pittsburg coal land broker had sold the Welsh Combine 227,000 acres in West Virginia and Kentucky at a price aggregating $10,000,000. Of this land, 175,000 acres are represented as being in the Gauley river district of West Virginia and 52,000 acres in Bello, Whitney and Knox counties, Kentucky. The broker states that the deal is "about closed," which is not taken in coal circles to mean anything definite. The report may for the present at least be classed with those lacking in confirmation.

The Welsh Colliery Combine has a large export trade with South American countries. It supplies the Argentine Republic's railroad system with coal, and has a large export business in Mediterranean ports and Australia. Its Welsh mines have an annual output of 6,000,000 tons.

OFFICER A PRISONER

John Detemple Accidentally Imprisons Himself in City Hall.

Detective John Detemple, of the Pennsylvania railroad, had a taste of prison life Saturday night, when he accidentally locked himself up at the police station.

The detective had arrested George Hawkins for being drunk and disorderly at the Pennsylvania passenger station, and entered the City Hall through the side entrance. The door is fastened with a spring lock and an iron grating separates the passageway leading to the cell room from the cells.

After the officer had entered the hall with his prisoner, the door closed, locking captor and prisoner together in the passageway.

Attempting to attract the attention of officers in the front par of he building, the detective rattled on the grating, but they thought the noise was made by drunken prisoners, and it was some time before Detemple's plight was discovered.

AFTER NEW COMPANY.

Concern Employing 200 Men is Sought by Chamber of Commerce.

Efforts are being made by the Chamber of Commerce to bring a large iron manufacturing concern to Connellsville. Secretary H. T. Hoag of the Chamber of Commerce, this morning announced that he is in communication with a concern and that prospects look bright for its coming to Connellsville.

The company employs nearly 200 men, and manufactures many useful iron articles. Some of their product is used by farmers, while other articles are for household use. The company is capitalized at $200,000.

Told to Leave Town.

When arraigned before Burgess J. L. Evans this morning on the charge of acting suspiciously on the West Side Sunday night, Frank Guetz was directed to leave Connellsville, and leave in a hurry.

School is Dismissed.

The flow of gas at the South Side school was weak this morning, and the building grew so cold that Principal E. C. Miner was compelled to dismiss the pupils for the day.

Gets New Commission.

Josiah B. Kurtz has just received his commission for another four-year term as a notary public.

Somerset Detective Here.

L. G. Wagner, county detective of Somerset, was a recent business caller in town.

CONNELLSVILLE WITHOUT GAS FOR HOURS SATURDAY NIGHT

Break in Main on West Virginia Farm Caused Supply to Go Off; Patrons Given Notice.

For several hours Saturday night there was no gas in town. Connellsville and Scottdale suffered worse than did Uniontown, for the county seat was supplied from wells in the county, used for emergency purposes. A break in West Virginia caused the trouble. Stores which were heated with gas, grew cold and those which depended upon that method of illumination were forced to use candles or oil lamps. It was shortly before 11 oclock when the pressure was turned on once more.

After the break had occurred workmen labored all Saturday in an effort to remedy the trouble without cutting out the high pressure lines. About dark it was found necessary to close the feed gates, but once this had been done, repairs were quickly made.

Unusual efforts were made by Superintendent J. E. Angle to notify the public that the gas had been shut off. Both telephone lines were used to reach many patrons while every available man employed by the company was assigned to do messenger duty in the residence district. As a consequence no accidents resulted.

A short time before the pressure was turned once more the fire whistle was sounded for several minutes. This was generally interpreted to mean that the gas would come on again, and it did. Those who depended entirely on gas for heating were given a touch of the shivers but the inconvenience fortunately was not of long duration.

FRICK MAN DEAD

William H. Young, Employed at Leisenring No. 3, Dies Here.

William H. Young, an employe of the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Leisenring No. 3, died yesterday morning at the home of his brother, Charles W. Young on East Apple street, where he was removed a month ago. Two weeks ago today a 17 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Young died. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock from the Young residence. The Rev. Wilbur Nelson, the Rev. A. B. Wilson and the Rev. D. E. Miner, the latter of Dunbar, will officiate. Interment in Hill Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Young was 41 years old and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Young of McKeesport. He was born in Connellsville and for many years was employed by the Cambria Steel Company at Dunbar. After the works were abandoned he secured employment with the H. C. Frick Coke Company. He was a machinist and engineer. He married Miss Elizabeth Lowden who with the following children survive: Phyllss, William, Albert and Margaret. His parents, the following brothers, Charles W., of Connellsville; Frank A., Albert M., Hillard H., George W., and one sister, Miss Laura Young, all of McKeesport, survive.

DON'T HANG ME, SOBS NEGRO

Dixon Thought Trooper Intended Taking His Life.

"Please, Mr. Trooper, you won't hang me, will you?" cried Castor Dixon Saturday night, as he was being led to the lockup by Trooper J. A. Conrad and Chief of Police George Hetzel.

Dixon was arrested at his home in Dutch Bottom at the instance of his wife, who charged him with being drunk and isorderly, and when Trooper Conrad and Chief Hetzel entered the house they found him cowering in the kitchen.

Castor declared he heard the State Constabulary "strung niggers up," and he thought he was going to be hanged. Conrad assured the negro that he did not intend to hang him, but Dixon did not seem to place much confidence in the assurance, and he sobbed tearfully the greater part of the way to the City Hall.

VISIT POULTRY FARM.

Exhibit of Chickens at Breeze Top Attracts Many Fanciers.

Quite a number of chicken fanciers from this section attended the exhibit of the Breeze Top Poultry Farms near Morgan Station Saturday and Sunday. Manager F. R. Klingensmith was kept busy exhibiting his prize winners at various shows, as well as the other birds he has on hand.

In the neighborhood of 500 chickens have been raised on the farm, including white leghorns, white wyandottes, Rhode Island whites, barred plymouth rocks, spangled Hamburgs and Indian games.

Quarterly Conference Meeting.

The regular quarterly conference meeting of the Methodist Protestant Church will be held in the church this evening. Reports for the quarter will be submitted.

Fire at Perryopolis.

Fire at Perryopolis Sunday morning destroyed furniture in a bed room in the home of William A. Armstrong and did damage approximating $040.

Again Asks for Pardon.

Another application for a pardon for former Sheriff John E. Shields of Westmoreland county will come before the Pardon Board on February 19.

98 Ask for License.

The number of liquor licenses asked in the county this year is the same as last, 98. Saturday was the last day for filing in this county.

Licensed to Wed.

Percy Smith of Vanderbilt and Vera White of New Castle were granted a marriage license in Uniontown Saturday.

STATE IS ASKED TO ALLOW $20,500 FOR THE HOSPITAL HERE

Cut $750 From the Amount Asked by Cottage State Trustees.

$500 TO GO TOWARDS PAINTING

State Board of Charities Makes Its Recommendations to the Legislature for Next Two Years' Maintenance Funds; Work is Reviewed.

Special to The Courier.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—The preliminary report of the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities will be presented tonight to the Legislature. The report recommends the appropriations for the hospitals and State institutions for 1913 and 1914.

The Cottage State Hospital of Connellsville has asked for an appropriation of $21,250 for the next two years. Of this amount $20,000 is for maintenance, $250 for insurance and $1,000 for painting the new roof. The recommendation of the board is as follows:

"This application, or so much thereof as may be necessary, approved as follows: Maintenance, $20,000; painting new roof, $500. Total for two years, $20,500.

The recommendation of the State Board of Charities for the next two years would bring down the appropriation of the Cottage State hospital. Last year and the year before the institution received from the State $10,000 for maintenance and $1,000 for buildings, or a total of $22,000 for the two years, just $1,500 less than the present recommendation of the Board of Charities. This is the first time the request of the hospital trustees has been reduced.

The report of the Cottage State hospital for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1912, shows that the cash on hand at that time was $117.26. During the year $2,940.50 was received from patients and friends of patients. Ten thousand dollars was received from the State for maintenance, making the total receipts $13,275.02.

The Cottage State hospital has no deficit. The provisions, fuel, light, dry goods and furnishings purchased cost $5,882.04. Medical and surgical supplies cost $1,302.44. Salaries and wages amounted to $4,802.36. For repairs there was expended $350.57. On loans there was paid $98.40 interest. For ambulance, painting, plumbing, printing, conveyance, rent, telephone, insurance and water rent $720.35 was spent. The total expenditures were $13,156.76.

The real estate of the Cottage State hospital is valued at $32,500. There are 38 beds for patients. During the last fiscal year there were treated 453 in patients in that institution, of which number 300 were free patients and 71 partly free patients. Eighty-two pay patients were treated. The total number of days of hospital treatment during the year were 7,462, of which 5,654 were free days. The cost per diem was $1.76. The average number of beds occupied during the year was 20. 19 of which were occupied on last May. Of the appropriation received last year $258.96 was not expended.

The South Side hospital is not a State institution and receives no appropriation from the State.

The appropriation bills for the Fayette county hospitals have not been introduced at this session of the Legislature, but it is expected that the resentatives will put them in during the coming week.

The Uniontown hospital has requested $45,200 but only $39,000 is recommended. The Agricultural School of Uniontown asked $35,000 and nothing is recommended.

House and Senate face the largest calendars of the session tonight when they begin their fifth week of the present Legislature.

On the Senate calendar the teachers' tenure of office bill and the bills to require eggs unfit for food to be treated with kerosene and providing standards for condensed and evaporated milks are on third reading with the Sheatz mothers' pension bill, which applies only to cities of the three classes, at the head of the second reading calendar.

The Dunn anti-treating bill is on the third reading calendar in the House and it looks as though it would be passed.

The big bills on third reading are the Scott constitutional convention bills, one of which provides for an election on the question of a convention and the other for a commission to be named by the Governor to study the constitution and suggest amendments.

The first reading calendar includes the pure paint bill, the bill to register lobbyists and the ratification of the income tax amendment.

A general hearing on all legislation affecting the 25 or 30 cities of the third class is to be arranged by members of the Senate and House Committees on Municipal Affairs for the latter part of this month and it will afford the advocates of the commission and small council forms of government opportunities to fight out their differences.

Prisoners Clean City Hall.

The City Hall and the West Side building underwent a thorough cleaning yesterday afternoon. Chief of Police George Hetzel made good use of the half dozen tramps arrested Saturday night.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

MONDAY.—A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Ladies' Circle to the G. A. R. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Robson on Eighth street, Greenwood.—A meeting of the Dorcas Society will be held at the home of Mrs. William Robbins on East Main street this evening.

TUESDAY.—The first of a series of dances will be held in the Armory by the High School Alumni.—Miss Mary Lloyd Stillwagon will entertain the Young Ladies' Fancy Work Club at her home on Snyder street.—Mrs. Shirley Sembower will entertain the M. E. C. Fancy Work Club at her home on the South Side.—The N. C. D. Class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. John Lysinger on Johnston avenue. Mrs. R. C. Wolf is teacher. —The J. O. C. Society of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. Thornton Herd, No. 229 Queen street. All members are urged to attend. The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ella Munson.

WEDNESDAY.—The Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary will meet at the Y. M. C. A. —The L. C. B. A. will meet in the Parochial School.—The Grand International Auxiliary to the B. of L. E. will meet in Odd Fellows' hall.—The Ladies' Missionary Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church at the close of prayer meeting at which time the annual election of officers will take place.

THURSDAY.—Miss Nelle Sweeney will entertain the Lucky Thirteen Club at her home on Eighth street, Greenwood. Mrs. J. P. Smith will entertain the Sixty Acre Fancy Work Club at her home on Sycamore street. &The regular meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Henry on Murphy avenue.—The Ladies' Circle No. 100 to the G. A. R. will celebrate Lincoln's birthday in Odd Fellows' hall.—The Pythian Sisters will meet in Markell hall.—Miss Kathryn Frisbee will entertain the Thursday Afternoon Card Club at 2.30 o'clock at the West Penn tea room.—Mrs. J. L. Proudfit will hold a social tea at the Manse on West Peach street for the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church.—The Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. Asman Drebert on East Main street.

FRIDAY.—A dance will be held in Cochran Banquet hall, Dawson, under the committeeship of Messrs. Wood, Moore, Henry and Porter.—The regular meeting of the William F. Kurtz Post, No. 104, Grand Army of the Republic, will be held at the Post room at the City Hall.—The Junior League of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a social in the church.—Mrs. J. Donald Porter will entertain the Friday Afternoon Bridge Whist Club at her home on East Green street.—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will be held in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Davis on Madison avenue.—The Boys' and Junior Girls' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Ripley Coughrey on Isabella Road.—Misses Fern and Marie Ganley will entertain the J. H. Fancy Work Club at their home in East Main street.

FOR MRS. DUNLAP

King's Daughters Will Celebrate Her Ninety-first Birthday.

Following their usual custom the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian Church will hold their annual old fashioned prayer meeting tomorrow evening for Mrs. Mary Dunlap, who on Wednesday will celebrate her ninety-first birthday anniversary at her home on York avenue. Mrs Dunlap is the widow of William Dunlap and came to this country from Scotland in 1871 settling in Connellsville, where she has since resided. She is the mother of seven children, all of whom were born in Scotland. The living are Mrs. Mary Shoenberger and Robert Dunlap of Pittsburg. She has 21 grandchildren and about 20 great grandchildren. Mrs. Dunlap is one of the oldest members of the First Presbyterian Church and up until about a month ago enjoyed good health. She enjoys the society of her many friends including both old and young and is a very entertaining conversationalist.

It has been the custom of Mrs Dunlap to bake cakes and serve refreshments to the King's Daughters. Among the the refreshments tomorrow evening will be fruit cake baked some time ago by the aged honor guest.

A DIFFERENCE

It Paid This Man to Change Food.

"What is called 'good living' eventually brought me to a condition quite the reverse of good health," writes a New York merchant.

"Improper eating told on me till my stomach became so weak that food nauseated me, even the lightest and simplest lunch, and I was much depressed after a night of uneasy slumber, unfitting me for business.

"This condition was discouraging, as I could find no way to improve it. Then I saw the advertisement of Grape-Nuts food, and decided to try it, and became delighted with the result.

"For the past three years I have used Grape-Nuts and nothing else for my breakfast and for lunch before retiring. It speedily set my stomach right and I congratulate myself that I have regained my health. There is no greater comfort for a tired man than a lunch of Grape-Nuts. It insures restful sleep, and an awakening in the morning with a feeling of bouyant courage and hopefulness.

"Grape-Nuts has been a boon to my whole family. It has made of our 2-year-old boy, who used to be unable to digest much of anything, a robust, healthy, little rascal weighing 32 pounds. Mankind certainly owes a debt of gratitude to the expert who invented this perfect food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.—Advertisement.

SOCIETY.

Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. Samuel R. Goldsmith will entertain at a bridge luncheon Friday afternoon at her home in South Pittsburg street in honor of Mrs. C. L. Leydic of Tarentum, the guest of Mrs. J. W. Goldsmith. Covers for twelve will be laid.

C. E. Society Will Meet.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Mercedes Gladden on Eight of Miss Mercedes Gladden on Eighth street, Greenwood.

Gives Linen Shower.

Mrs. R. H. Michaels was hostess at a linen shower last evening at her home in East Green street in honor of Miss Marguerite Goldstone of Mount Pleasant, a bride-elect. About forty guests were present. A dainty luncheon was served. The favors were wedding bells.

Miss Goldstone shared honors with Mr. and Mrs. Golden, of Uniontown, whose marriage was a recent event. Miss Pauline Silverman of Dunbar, and her fiance, A. Ruckoff, at a well appointed 6 o'clock dinner given last evening by Miss Flora Grodzin at her home on East Main street. Covers were laid for about 20. The favors were hearts and cupids.

Kemp Is 51.

George B. Kemp was honor guest at a dinner last evening at the Hotel Wyman in commemoration of his fifty-first birthday anniversary. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Kemp and was well appointed. In the center of the table was a large birthday cake with fifty-one lighted candles significant of the age of the honor guest. In addition to Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, covers were laid for E. E. Bailey, Mrs. Lillian May of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. John McFarland.

"COLDS"

Caused by Lowered Vital Resistance. What to Do For This.

It is a well known fact that when a person is run-down, stomach out of order, or the system overloaded with waste matter, vital resistance is lowered and colds and coughs are easily contracted.

The safest and surest method we know to overcome this condition is by taking our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol. In the most natural manner Vinol tones up the digestive organs, promotes a hearty appetite, enriches the blood and creates strength for every organ in the body and as a specific for chronic coughs, colds and bronchial troubles Vinol is unexcelled.

Mr. Albert Porter of Richmond Hill, L. I., says: "All winter I had a bad cold and a cough which I could not get rid of, and was badly run-down besides. Vinol was the one remedy which cured my cough and made me well in every way."

Try a bottle of Vinol on our offer to return your money if it fails to help you. Graham & Company, Druggists, Connellsville. Vinol is sold in West Side by Fred H. Hornemann.

P. S. For rough, scaly skin, try our Save Salve. We guarantee it.—Advertisement.

LOUIS RAPPORT BURIED

Funeral of Connellsville Business Man is Held in Pittsburg.

The funeral of Louis Rapport took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his parents in Pittsburg. Rabbi Rudolph Coffee of the Jewish Synagogue, of which deceased was a member, officiating. The services were attended by many relatives and friends.

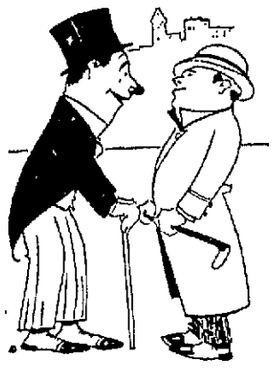
Among the pallbearers were M. H. Feldstein, Fred Munk and J. L. Levy, of Connellsville. Others from Connellsville who attended the funeral were Mrs M. H. Feldstein, Mrs. Anna Reichstein, Miss Elizabeth Kellenberger, Miss Bertha Kellenberger, Jerome and Alfred Kobacker, Louis Featherman, Robert Sechrist and Philip Cohen. The interment was made in McKees Rocks cemetery.

Successful Root and Herb Remedy.

The study of roots and herbs, their character and power over disease, was what led Lydia E. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., to produce for woman's ills the most successful remedy the world has ever known, and while she passed to her reward some years ago, her work among suffering women is still carried on by trained assistants and many tons of roots and herbs are consumed annually in the manufacture of the now famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as originated by her.—Adv.

Dies at Dixmont.

Mrs. Lizzie Mitchell, aged 43 years, colored, died Saturday morning at the Dixmont asylum, Pittsburg. The body was brought to Connellsville yesterday morning and removed by Funeral Director C. C. Mitchell to the home of J. L. Johnson on Second street, West Side, a brother of the deceased. Private funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Johnson home. Interment in Chestnut Hill cemetery.



THE REASON.

Wise—My wife is going to take lessons in wrestling.

Green—Why so?

Wise—She hasn't been able to get a thing at the last three bargain sales.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones of Pittsburg, spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Jones. Mr. Jones is chief clerk for the Baltimore & Ohio at the Pittsburg offices

Charles McKevitt of Latrobe, spent Sunday in town as the guest of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Benson of Johnstown, were visitors yesterday at the home of A. M. Haines.

Attorney F. D Munson is back at his desk today, after a brief illness.

Misses Estella and Bessie Dunlap of Vanderbilt, were shopping and visiting friends in town on Saturday.

Special features every day at the New Lyric theatre.—Adv.

Walter Sliger of Tunnelton, Pa., spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. O. J. Sliger on Patterson avenue.

Miss Daisy Morgan of Lemont, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs W. Hess.

Miss Mary Hackney of Uniontown, has returned home after spending a few days at the home of Miss Bertha Hetzel on the South Side.

Attorney F. E. Younkin is spending the day at the county seat.

Professor B. H. Smith of the borough schools, spent the week end at his home at Bellevernon.

Call Hoover & Bailey for sack of White Blossom flour, $1.40.—Adv.

Chairman E. U. Hetzel, of the Police Committee of Council, is today confined to his home by illness

Dibert Yeagley of Topeka, Kan., is visiting Captain and Mrs. E. Dunn. Mr. Yeagley is a nephew of Mrs. Dunn.

Miss Lillian Bridegum of Washington avenue, is visiting firends in Berlin.

Charles H. Black of Scottdale, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson of Mount Pleasant, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hildebrand of Greenwood yesterday.

Miss Irene Port and Miss Sarah Moreland were the guests of friends at Scottdale yesterday.

For awnings, upholstering and furniture repairing call E. C. Pierce, West Side.—Adv.

Miss Hazel Brown of Morgantown, who has been the guest of Miss Sarah Seaton went to Pittsburg for a week's visit with friends.

Mrs W. O. Schoonover is the guest of friends at Morgantown today.

Harry Seaton of Uniontown, visited in town over Sunday.

Miss Nettie Miller visited friends at Scottdale yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Bell of Johnstown returned home this morning after a visit with Mrs. J. M. Young.

William Tarr of Washington, Pa., was called here by the illness of his brother A. P. Tarr of the West Side. Mr. Tarr's condition is improved.

Special features every day at the New Lyric theatre.—Adv.

Mrs. L. P. McCormick will go to Somerset tomorrow to visit Mrs O. L. Eaton, Wednesday she will be accompanied home by Mrs. Eaton and her sister, Mrs. D C Thomas of Pittsburg, who will remain here until Friday.

Miss Josephine Cavender of Fairmont, was the guest of her sister, Miss Florence Cavender over Sunday.

Mrs L. V. Marshall was a guest at Rosedale farm at Perryville yesterday.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Doyle of Baltimore, who are guests of Mr and Mrs. Fred Munk, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Renner of Scottdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Matthews of Uniontown, were guests of Squire and Mrs. P. M. Buttermore of the West Side yesterday.

Miss Rebecca Truxall, a teacher in the High School, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Meyersdale

A. L. Miller of Greene county, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Caroline Miller.

Charles Roach and Alex Biddle of Monessen, were the guests of the former's mother, Mrs Robert Roach of Witter avenue over Sunday.

Miss Bertha Hetzel, who has been ill at her home on the South Side, is able to be out again.

SUCCESS AWAITS YOU

It's Up to You to Be Ready For Your Opportunity.

There isn't any reason why you can't achieve at least a modest competence if you go about it in the right way. The world is full of opportunities for energetic and ambitious men and women who are willing to sacrifice passing pleasures to permanent success. Cut out the things you don't need; save money, put it to work where it will be absolutely safe and earn more money. Then, when a business opportunity or a profitable investment offers, you will be ready for it. In this connection, the First National Bank is old and safe and strong and pays 4 per cent on Savings accounts. ment offers, you will be ready for it. $1 starts you.—Advertisement.

Program at Dawson.

A musical program in charge of Miss Pearl Kock, organist, and Miss Elizabeth Mae Brown, soloist, was rendered by the children of the Cochran Memorial Church at Dawson last evening. The program took the place of the regular sermon.

Post Card Shower.

Mrs. Anna Evans, who was struck by a Baltimore & Ohio train in Uniontown several weeks ago, is now able to sit up. A few days ago she was tendered a post card shower by her many Connellsville friends.

Pastor's Aides Meet.

The monthly meeting of the Pastor's Aides of the First Presbyterian Church was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leroy Gulbord on Mill's Road.

One Cent a Word

for classified advertisements. Try them

For a Clean Shave

Go to the clean Barber Shop.
MIKE BUFANO,
In the basement of the Title & Trust building. Special attention given to children's hair cutting. Hot and cold baths.

AN EFFECTIVE STRIPED VELVET.

The stripes are in two shades of brown, and black satin is used for the collar and as a piping on the free edges.

To skirt is draped and has a high folded girdle of black satin. Brown pearl ball buttons are used.

FOR DANDRUFF AND FALLING HAIR—25 CENT "DANDERINE"

Save Your Hair! Danderine Destroys Dandruff and Stops Falling Hair at Once—Grows Hair, We Prove It.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous you must use Danderine, because nothing else accomplishes so much for the hair.

Just one application of Knowlton's Danderine will double the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp, the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, don't hesitate, but get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter, apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine if eventually—why not now? A 25 cent bottle will truly amaze you.—Advertisement.

GET MIXED TEAM OF TRAMPS.

B. & O. Detectives Capture Drunken Pair on Railroad Tracks.

A mixed team of tramps was picked up from the Baltimore & Ohio tracks near the Trans-Allegheny hotel Saturday night by B. & O. detectives. The men were so drunk they had to be virtually carried to the police station.

William Hennessy was the name given by the white man. He had a quart bottle partially filled with whiskey in his possession. The negro was Jerry Johnson. Jerry's left eye was so badly injured he could hardly see.

Both were sentenced to serve 48 hours in the lockup.

Chicken Dinner.

Misses Lena Hetzel, Gladys Buttermore, Camilla Munk and Gwendolin Richter, and Wilhelm Hetzel of Connellsville; Bert Young of Rockwood, and Kennedy Porter of Fairchance, were served a chicken dinner last evening at Rosedale Farm by Mrs. Sherman Lyon.

Yoder Improved.

The condition of F. R. Yoder, principal of the West Side schools, was reported improved today.

RAW, COLD, BITING WINDS

aggravate catarrhal colds and bronchial disorders, and if neglected often lead to pneumonia or consumption.

SCOTT'S EMULSION drives out colds and corrects bronchial troubles. It soothes and heals the affected membranes. It makes healthy flesh, rich blood and strengthens weak lungs. Nothing is so good as *Scott's Emulsion* for stubborn coughs and colds.

INSIST on SCOTT'S.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 12-75

BEWARE!

This advertisement is authorized by Stevens & Company, Incorporated, manufacturers of Stevens Quality Optical Goods, for the purpose of protecting the people of Connellsville against unprincipled fakirs who pose as opticians, and who, through advertising low prices, get people into their place of busines and then, through some cock-and-bull story about their special requirements, charge exhorbitant prices for inferior goods.

It is their custom to advertise "high-grade spectacles and eye glasses with lenses for one dollar," but when one goes to them they readily find an excuse for charging much higher prices. Seldom have these grafters a sufficent knowledge of the optical business to make it safe for one to trust their examination, and the whole scheme is to work a town by extensive advertising for a brief period and then fly to pastures new.

If any member or members of that fakir band chance to read this advertisement we would like to say to them—we are warning the people of Connellsville against you for two good and sufficient reasons: First, you are using unfair methods of competition against the legitimate optician, because you do not hesitate to lie in your advertising and in your statements to prospective customers, deceiving many people thereby. Secondly, you are doing a crooked business in the optical field, a portion of which we occupy; and while we do not expect unaided to make an optical heaven on earth, we have, nevertheless, without anger or malice, appointed ourselves a committe of one to swat you and your kind wherever we find you. We want to live in a clean house with honest people, and we are willing to do our part to merit the privilege.

STEVENS & COMPANY
(INCORPORATED)
PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND

STOMACH SOUR? GOT INDIGESTION ALSO?

"Pape's Diapsin" Makes Upset Stomachs Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach headache—this is indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only fifty cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases, then you will understand why dyspeptic trouble of all kinds must go, and why they usually relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. Diapepsin is harmless and tastes like candy, though each dose contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat, besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite, but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little or indigestion or gastritis or any other stomach misery.

Get some now, this minutes, and forever rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion.—Advertisement.

CHAUTAUQUA TICKETS

Solicitor Begins Canvass in Town for Big Summer Course.

Mrs. Jane J. Wilford, representing the Redpath-Brockaway Chautauqua bureau of Pittsburg, arrived in Connellsville today to begin a canvass of the town for support of the mid-summer Chautauqua to be held here in August. Mrs. Wilford will be assisted by another solicitor who is expected to arrive in a few days.

The Chautauqua will continue for one week, and will be staged in one of the largest open spots of ground most centrally located.

It is the plan of the Redpath bureau to dispose of 1,000 tickets through the efforts of solicitors, and a second thousand will be sold by a committee of Connellsville business men. These men, numbering 20, have guaranteed the success of the affair, to the extent of holding themselves responsible for $50 of the expenses.

GIRLS WILL BE GIRLS.

"Did you notice how close Mr. Scribbs face was to Ruth Rouge last night while out sleighing?"

"Perhaps he was in search of local color."

IN **GIRLHOOD WOMANHOOD OR MOTHERHOOD**

The women who have used *Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription* will tell you that it freed them from pain—helped them over painful periods in their life—and saved them many a day of anguish and misery. This tonic, in liquid form, was devised over 40 years ago for the womanly system, by R. V. Pierce, M. D., and has been sold ever since by dealers in medicine to the benefit of many thousand women.

Assist Nature now and then, with a gentle cathartic Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets tone up and invigorate liver and bowels. Be sure you get what you ask for.

Now—if you prefer—you can obtain Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tablets at your druggist at $1 per box, also in 50c size or send 50 one cent stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. for trial box.

The News of Nearby Towns.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, Feb. 8.—Dr. Jackson of Mill Run made a professional call here today administering to the sick.

Charles and William Johnson are in the trapping business on an extensive scale.

The Indian Creek Valley freight crew, engine No. 2, is composed of the following men: Paxon Gray, conductor, who has been with the road several years holding different positions until promoted to the present position. The brakemen are Lewis Thrasher and Smith King who have been brought up with the rules of the Indian Creek Valley and are trustworthy. The engine crew is composed of Wilson Berger, a resident of Connellsville, who came to the Indian Creek Valley from the Baltimore & Ohio with a good record and has surely given the best of service. The fireman is Bruce Miller, son of the general merchant at Rogers Mills.

Milton Stickel of Mill Run, spent Saturday in Connellsville on business.

Miss Rose Stindle spent Sunday with friends in Connellsville.

Some of the regular boarders at the Hotel Neidecheiser at Jones Mill are not on too good a terms with the famous family poll parrot. This bird is learning the language fast and will soon be able to give secrets away.

Daniel Neidecheiser has moved his saw mill near Jones Mill and is going to do custom sawing.

The Pike Run Country Club has commenced cutting and storing ice for the coming season.

The coal news is reported good around Jones Mill and all points along the Indian Creek Valley and all the citizens are expecting their money soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alzuire spent only Sunday among friends and relatives in Connellsville.

W. J. McFarland spent Sunday with his family in Wilkinsburg.

H. I. Fisher, general manager for the McFarland Lumber Company, spent Sunday with his family in Wilkinsburg.

A. P. Doorley spent over Sunday at his home in Scottdale.

Mr. Wenegar, the meat man at Jones Mill, paid a short visit here today and reports many sales.

Richard Murray, one of our hustling farmers, was in the valley on business today.

W. S. Rafferty has been called to Somerset to appear as a witness for the B. & O. in a damage suit brought by Mr. Kelley of Sand Patch.

The sleighing is reported fine around all the mountain villages.

Joseph Stindl, Sr., one of the hustling farmers at Mill Run, spent Saturday in Connellsville on business and shopping.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 10.—A fire broke out Saturday evening in the rear of the building occupied by the Meyersdale Produce Company on Center street, and but for the prompt arrival of the fire department much damage would surely have been done. The damaged building is located in the heart of Meyersdale's business district, sandwiched in between the two large national bank buildings, and at the time of the fire there was an exceedingly high wind. Luckily the blaze was confined within the building in which it originated. The loss is trifling.

Tuesday evening Miss Della, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. D. K. Clapper, will be united in marriage with Charles Fike, at the home of the bride's parents, "Shady Lawn," and the ceremony will be performed by the bride's father.

Robert Forney of Pittsburg, who with his family have spent some time with relatives here, left yesterday to visit for several weeks at Berlin.

On train No. 15 yesterday two Meyersdale patients returned from Cumberland, Md., where they underwent operations recently in one of the hospitals in that city. Mrs. Albert Herring and Miss Pink Zufall, both of whom are recovering satisfactorily. Two patients, Mrs. Joseph Shelbear and Mrs. John A. Baer, are still at the hospital.

Little "Tommy," the six-year-old son of William J. Rees, of Front street, while coasting on Saturday on the Centre street hill, ran into one of the iron sirders of the bridge across Flaugherty creek, breaking his right leg near the hip.

Superintendent J. S. McLennan and V. C. Dumont, general office man of H. S. Kerbaugh, Inc., who constructed the new Sand Patch tunnel, left on No. 15 yesterday for Pittsburg, where they will spend several days transacting business.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 10.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Leech, February 7, a fine baby boy. Mother and son are doing nicely. This new arrival has the rare distinction of having all four of its grandparents and seven great grandparents living. The mother is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker of Cheat Haven and the father a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leech of Smithfield.

Harvey Long, Uniontown; J. E. McGonegal, New York; F. J. Worth, A. R. Beyer, A. M. Dolbrick, Pittsburg; Nathaniel Woodward, Oliphant; Joseph Urijaski, Republic, were registered at the Smithfield House Saturday.

Mrs. William Koontz is under the doctor's care with la grippe.

J. H. Moser, the Anderson Cross Roads merchant, was a business visitor here Saturday. He took back with him several hundred cans in which to store maple syrup, some of which already has been made in his locality and more will be made when the February freeze breaks up and owners of camps figure on a record breaking flow of sap.

F. B. Wheelery of Ruble, was a borough visitor Saturday.

J. H. Miller of Rubel's Mills, was in the borough Saturday.

Harry Morgan, a student at Carnegie Tech, Pittsburg, visited his parents here the week's end.

From the last reports from the Merry Hospital, Mrs. G. A. Feather, who had an operation performed there last Tuesday, was not doing so well.

William Barton was a business visitor at the county seat Saturday.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Feb. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, who have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson, of Ohiopyle, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Wilkins, Mrs. C. E. Wilson and Mrs. W. C. Smith of Speer's Hill attended the matinee Saturday afternoon in Connellsville.

J. T. Bradley, of the Furnace, moved his family to Oliver No. 1.

H. M. Liston returned home today from Kingwood, W. Va., where he has been the guest of friends and relatives for the past two weeks.

Mrs. A. Bufano and daughter, Emma Jean, attended the matinee in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Agnes Nemon was a Connellsville visitor Saturday.

Mrs. W. S. Gaddis returned home from Pittsburg Saturday after spending a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Henderson.

Misses Pearl and Olive Eicher were shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Anna Downs of Mt. Braddock was calling on friends and relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Smith and daughter, Katherine, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of near Fayette, a baby boy.

Miss Sara Bell Anderson was shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Katherine McDermott of Uniontown was calling here Saturday.

Mrs. James Grimes and daughter, Anna, of Uniontown, spent Saturday as the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Andy George was removed to the Mercy Hospital in Pittsburg, where she will undergo an operation.

Anthony Gilmore and daughter, Nellie, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday

Frank DeMott was a Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Hay of Mahoning returned home after spending a few days at Lemont calling on her sister, Mrs. Mary Gordon.

Mrs. John Duffey of Mahoning was a Connellsville shopper Saturday.

Wilbur Hughes was calling on friends in Connellsville Saturday.

Mrs. Lincoln Smithey of the Furnace was calling on friends in Connellsville Sunday.

Mrs. Lottie Hughes and daughter, Mabel, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, Feb. 10.—Jesse Chambers of Allison, spent Sunday here with his mother.

Earl Roberts of Point Marion, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roberts.

C. C. Collins was a Connellsville business caller Friday.

Anna Morrow has returned to Star Junction after spending a few days here with her sister.

Some of the recent business callers in town were: Frank McLaughlin, Leisenring; A. B. Hipp, Joseph Rosin and H. O. Franks, Pittsburg; William Young, Uniontown; Fred Reppert, West Newton; J. W. Sturtz and W. H. Meads, Cumberland, and Clifton Crowley, Connellsville. They were registered at the Vanderbilt House.

Harry Strickler of Uniontown, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Strickler.

John B. Ratto, an impersonator and entertainer, was the last number of the entertainment course given under the auspices of the Saturday Afternoon Club in the Presbyterian Church Saturday evening. Mr. Ratto is an impersonator of remarkable ability and swayed his audience with screams of delight. The program was a panorama of associated characters. He presented his characters in "makeup" pencilling in full view of the audience, telling an appropriate story the while. The "makeups" were quickly done and as true as was his impersonation of the character itself.

Sturgis Bailey spent Sunday here with his family.

Mrs. J. H. Hazlett and Stella Oglevee were Connellsville callers Saturday.

At the meeting of the Fire Department it was decided to give a home talent play, the title of which is "A Thousand For a Husband." The characters have not all been chosen and the date of the play has not yet been set.

The revival services at the Methodist Episcopal Church continue this week. On Sunday 12 members were taken into the church.

William Litten of Keister, spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

Dr. J. H. Hazlett is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 9.—Mrs. C. M. Galley and Misses Anna and Blanche Galley gave another of their very enjoyable fancy work parties to an umber of their friends at their Church street home on Saturday afternoon. Cut flowers were used as decorations and very delicious refreshments were served.

A teachers' institute was held at the Mud school house on Saturday afternoon and evening.

Russell Shaw of Cleveland, O., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Shaw, of College avenue.

Joseph Finch of New Kensington was the guest of his sister, Mrs. George Williams, yesterday.

Mr. Spear of Monessen was a caller in town yesterday.

Edward Lobinger, George Wolfe, Earl Cunningham, Walter Burns and Patrick McShane, Jr., spent Sunday in Somerset.

L. H. Taylor of Irwin was a caller in town yesterday.

Special features every day at the New Lyric theatre.—Adv.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 10.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church held its regular monthly meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Corristan. A social hour was held and a dainty luncheon was served. The members present were Mrs. Cyrus Show, Mrs. C. B. Cunningham, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. J. W. Show, Mrs. H. T. Holt, Mrs. J. F. Woodmancy, Mrs. Judson Wolf and daughter, Isabelle. Several piano solos were rendered by Miss Gertrude Sipe and Miss Della Corristan.

Mrs. B. S. McNutt of Somerfield, after a short visit with relatives in town, left Saturday for Uniontown to make a short visit with her sister, Mrs. John Yoder.

Dr. White of Connellsville, made a professional call at Ohiopyle on Saturday.

Mrs. Nora Totten of Green Brier, spent Saturday shopping in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Silbaugh, after a short visit with western friends, returned to their home at Sugar Loaf on Saturday.

William Joseph, who is employed at Alverton, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson of Green Brier, left last evening for Uniontown to spend a few days

H. C. Jones of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Rush of Kentuck, left Sunday evening for Uniontown to transact business matters.

B. A. Smith and two sons, Wade and Claude, left last evening for their home at Uniontown, after a short visit with realtives here.

Harvey Morrison of Sugar Loaf, left last evening for Uniontown to transact business matters.

Lester Foust spent Sunday at his home at Fairhope.

John Hall returned to his work at Confluence, after spending Saturday and Sunday with Ohiopyle friends.

Kirby McClain of near Pittsburg, arrived here Sunday to make a short visit with friends.

Edward Largent of Connellsville, spent Sunday with his family here.

William Jackson of Connellsville, arrived here last evening to make a short visit with friends.

John King left Sunday for his work near Confluence, after spending Sunday at his home near here.

Miss Lucy Linderman returned to her home here last evening, after a few days' visit with Bidwell friends.

Mrs. Kate Wable and son were shopping in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner of Green Brier, spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. Harry Hall of Whig Corner, spent Saturday shopping in town.

Miss Anna Williams was shopping in town on Saturday.

Kimmel Welsh of Bear Run, spent Saturday evening in town.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 9.—Mrs Willis Mitchell and three children of Cumberland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs Thomas Knight.

Mrs. C. W. Frantz entertained the Young Ladies' Fancy Work Club at her home Friday evening.

Mrs. Mollie Kretchman is spending several weeks visiting her daughters, Mrs. William Howard of Rochester, Pa., and Mrs. W. C. Wolford at Midway, Pa., and her son, Norbert Kretchman and family in Pittsburg.

Austin Umbel of Uniontown was in town a short time Saturday en route to Somerfield to visit friends

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright and son, William, of Irwin are spending a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Reiher.

Miss Leah Mitchell is visiting her sister, Mrs Bartholomew, at Rockwood for a few days.

D. A. Griffith of Uniontown was in town on business several days last week.

James McCartney of Pittsburg was in town on a business visit last week.

Earl Glen of Connellsville was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Havner, of the West Side, for several days this week.

Dr. Wilson made a professional call in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hostetter have returned home after having spent the past week visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Robert Hostetter, at Somerset.

Charles Frederick of Friendsville was in town on business Friday.

Miss Mary Frazee of Markleysburg is the guest of Miss Ida McDonald.

Benjamin Conway of Rockwood was a visitor in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross of Addison were guests of friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. E. E. McDonald has returned home after having spent several days as the guest of friends in Uniontown.

T. J. McDonald and Harold Laudermilt of Addison were calling on friends in town recently.

Miss Helen Sanner is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Earle Critchfield, at Ursina.

Miss Elizabeth McCune of Ursina was the guest of friends in town Saturday.

Frank Conway of Connellsville was in town Saturday afternoon on business.

Miss Gwendolin Eicher of Fort Hill is the guest of Mrs. Harry Hostetter.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, Feb. 9.—Theodore Van Horn was visiting at his home in Dawson today.

Thomas Zimmerman and H. M. McDonald of Dawson, were business callers in town Saturday.

Edith Brailler and Marie Carson were visiting at their homes in Layton today.

M. M. Cochran of Uniontown, was a business caller in town Saturday.

William Fairchild was visiting at the home of his parents in Dawson today.

E. L. Whiteman of Wilkes-Barre, was a caller in town Saturday.

J. H. Price and M. E. Strawn of Dawson, were business callers in town Saturday.

H. A. Rettstatt of Ruffsdale, was a caller in town Saturday.

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Dear Sir: I have noticed a good many testimonials from people that have used your Emulsion and as I was so greatly benefitted by it I hereby inclose mine, which you may use if you wish. Two years ago I had a very severe attack of the grippe. I felt bad all over, had pains through my head, lungs and liver. I tried a good many different remedies from which I derived no benefit. My friends told me that I would have to wait and let it wear out. But on hearing of Bear's Emulsion I purchased a bottle and began to improve right away. I can recommend it to anyone recuperating from the grip.

Very Respectively,
E. Ras Harrison.

Bear's Emulsion builds up your run-down nervous system, heals your lungs and tones up the whole system. One dollar a bottle or six bottles for five dollars.

For sale by A. A. Clarke and Graham & Company, Connellsville; Harry McGibbons, Dunbar, and Leading Druggist, Scottdale.—Advertisement.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb 9.—Lulu Willis of Bagnig was a week-end visitor with town friends.

Zella Lynn of Smithton spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. I. M. Hodgkins organized a Junior League at the M. E. Church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Townsend of West Newton is the guest of friends in town.

Mrs. E. I. Ramsler spent Sunday with Dawson friends.

Stewart Townsend was a caller in West Newton Sunday

Mrs Wm. Groupover of Jacobs Creek visited her daughter, Bertha, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and family of Uniontown are spending a few days in town.

Stella Baer of Vanderbilt is the guest of town friends.

The house of William Armstrong was damaged by fire on Sunday morning, which originated in the second story, destroying the contents of one room.

Mabel Martin was home from Pittsburg over Sunday.

Mumps have made their appearance among the pupils of the school.

G. A. Markle of Connellsville visited in town on Sunday.

Edna Wray of Scottdale spent Sunday with friends in town.

The firemen's play, produced by local talent on Friday evening was a pronounced success. Many out of town persons witnessed the performance.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Feb. 9.—Architect E. H. Walker of Somerset has prepared the architectural plan for the new additional to the present school building, which has been submitted to the architectural department of the State Board of Education, who have made a careful examination of the plans and have suggested minor details which, when worked out, will be placed in the hands of contractors for bids. It is supposed that the bonds will be prepared and ready for disposition within a very short time. Plans are being laid so that the new work can begin about April 15 or soon after. It is expected that the taxes will be slightly increased and it is estimated that about one mill will cover the additional increase. Many suggestions are being offered in regard to the financial phase of the building project. According to the one mill proposition none of the principal on the bonds would be paid for about six years and by that time the old indebtedness would be entirely disposed of.

Should Rockwood continue to grow as it has in the past decade, the new quarters will not be adequate enough for the coming generation. Of course there are other opinions on this subject, which will be thoroughly looked into by the directors.

Senators Exonerated.

In a report adopted by the Senate Elections Committee, Senators Watson and Chilton of West Virginia are exonerated of the charges of corruption in connection with their election.

IF YOU HAD A NECK AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW AND HAD SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN
TONSILINE WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT.
25c. and 50c. Hospital Size $1. ALL DRUGGISTS.

JUST HER LINE.

Lady of House—Mary Anne I'm going to give a dinner and a dance to-night, and I want you to show the guests what you can do.

Mary Anne—Count on me mum, Shure Oi'm th' best dancer in the Tinth Ward, mum.

BREATHE HYOMEI AND END CATARRH

If you really want to get rid of vile Catarrh why not give Booth's HYOMEI treatment a fair trial

Your money will be refunded if you think you have not been benefitted, and on that basis every Catarrh victim should start to banish Catarrh this very day.

HYOMEI is a soothing, healing antiseptic all made from Australian Eucalyptus and other antiseptics; it kills Catarrh germs and contains no cocaine or poisonous drugs. Complete outfit, $1.00, extra bottle, if needed, 50 cents at A. A. Clarke's and druggists everywhere. No stomach dosing—just breathe it.—Advertisement.

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J. H. S. STIMMELL, Secretary and Treasurer.

MONDAY EVENING, FEB 10, 1913.

STATE APPROPRIATIONS.

"A man is known by the company he keeps," and a hospital is known by the record it makes.

The administration of the Connellsville State Hospital has been the subject of frequent and hearty commendation at the hands of the State inspectors and auditors; it has never asked for any money that was not actually needed; it has always kept within the bounds of its appropriation plus the contributions of the railroads and coke operators and other manufacturing industries of the Connellsville region; and, finally, it has been free from the suspicion of graft great or petty throughout the whole period of its existence.

The trustees of some public institutions ask for more money than they need out of the perhaps natural desire to make their institutions ornamental as well as useful; and it is the rule with semi-public and private hospitals and charitable institutions to ask for a great deal more than they need with a view to making plenty of margin for reductions, which are usually inevitable in State appropriations of this character because of the fact that the demand is greater than the supply.

It is proper to reduce these estimates; in fact, the people who make them expect them to be reduced; but it is not proper to apply this rule to institutions like the Connellsville hospital, which only asks for what it actually needs, and not for what it does not expect to get.

With due respect to the State Board of Charities, we hope the Legislature will ignore its recommendations concerning the Connellsville hospital and respect the request of the hospital management.

NATURAL GAS.

The universality of the use of natural gas as a domestic fuel in the Connellsville region, and in most cases *the entire absence in the household of* any other means of heating and cooking, make the temporary failure of the gas supply a very annoying domestic discomfort.

Not only is such a gas failure a serious inconvenience, but it is also a serious menace to life and property, unless adequate means are provided for notifying the consumers of the *suspension of the supply.*

If the supply is cut off during the day everybody is put on his or her guard, and there is little or no danger; but if the supply fails during the late hours of the night, when the world is wrapped in slumber, death lurks in every household in which that supply is turned on without notice.

It is the duty of the gas company to use every *reasonable effort to notify* customers of gas failures when they occur, and it is a pleasure to testify that this effort was made Saturday evening, with the result that while dis*comfort ensued in many households* for a few hours danger was avoided.

TYPHOID.

The fact that typhoid fever conditions are *serious enough to bring* to Connellsville a representative of the State Health Department on a mission of expert investigation need not cause a panic in the community or convey *the notion abroad that the town is in* the deadly grip of disease. There has been an unusual number of typhoid cases, but there is no epidemic.

The presence of an expert is proof *of the vigilance and efficiency of the* State Health Department rather than of pestilential pollution; and, with the earnest cooperation and helpful assistance of the local physicians and authorities, he will no doubt be able to run down and "bust up" the malady that is trying to effect a merger with the sexton and the undertaker contrary to the laws of health.

Typhoid is commonly associated with water, but the quality of Connellsville water has been above reproach during the past year or more; besides, there are many other means of conveying the germs of this and other diseases.

The report of the special agent will be awaited with interest by the public, as well as by the local health authorities.

The Harriman egg has been unscrambled, but to the man at the next table it looks as if the stockholders of the different roads were still eating scrambled eggs.

The Lallelle merger makes a peach of an independent steel combine.

The Welsh Coal Trust becomes an independent operation in the United States.

The name of Diaz will not down in Mexico.

Political styles are becoming more variegated and tropical than hardy and enduring.

The Connellsville Recall seems to have lost its voice.

Hot water has a sad association with colds and pneumonia.

The Governor of West Virginia proposes a Referendum on the Senatorship. A Referendum is always preferable to a Deadlock.

The fire company found a frozen fire hydrant Saturday morning, thus emphasizing the suggestion of The Courier that such hydrants be closely inspected during very cold weather.

The Tenth regiment is preparing to be Democratic for one day at least.

Women's skirts will be tighter and higher. The husband who does not get this will have a grand awakening when he gets the bill.

Mill Run has no Board of Trade, but she hopes to have a brick works.

A $200,000 High School building will be a worthy addition to the Library Group.

Point Marion seems to have natural gas to burn. The owners of her new *high pressure wells could have done a* fine business with the Connellsville coke region had they been around with the goods Saturday evening.

The strikers are still painting it red around Paint Creek district.

Playing the all-around Bad Man act is exciting and temporarily profitable in the Connellsville coke region, but the job never lasts long. Sooner or later justice demands an accounting.

The Groundhog is handing out some very stiff samples of his weather.

The Pennsylvania railroad's Jersey brakemen must be polite but not familiar.

Sligo mill doesn't run the Government, but Government chain orders go a long way toward running Sligo.

Bentleyville postoffice was shot up, but not cleaned out.

A drop-too-much might have had the same or similar effect as knockout drops upon a lad of 19, even though he might look to be 25.

The false fire alarm fiend is hunting a cell in the county jail and he is likely to find it.

MORNING SHOPPING GROWS IN FAVOR

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The Christmas invitation of the merchant to "shop early" is still bearing fruit. Women know well that by shopping early in the morning their purchases can be made with far greater leisure and comfort and with the feeling that what they buy will be thoroughly satisfactory.

At that time the stores are not so crowded; the stocks are all in good order, so that time is saved in finding the best shade or size, and the clerks are not fagged out.

All the merchants who advertise in The Courier, want you to do your shopping at the most favorable time of the day. Everything is in your favor for morning shopping.

Read The Courier carefully and constantly every night, so that you may be ready to go shopping early next morning. Plan your shopping tour in advance. Know what to buy and where to buy to best advantage. When special sales are advertised the opening hour is not too early to visit the store.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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No Advertisement for Less Than 15 Cents.

Wanted.

WANTED—TO LOAN $500 TO $10,000 on first mortgages. CHARLES M. EVANS. 9jan tfd

WANTED — MACHINE-AD MAN, speed 4,000 8 point; wages $19; Union. THE COURIER, Connellsville.

WANTED—AT THE OLIVER COKE plants Nos. 1, 2, 3, coal miners and coke drawers. Apply to foreman of the respective plants. 8may tfd

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOUSES. J. A. MASON, Second National Bank building. 5octf

FOR RENT—ROOMS. APPLY 303 W. FAYETTE STREET. 8feb2td

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE on Fairview avenue; $15 per month. J. C. LYTLE. 7feb2td

FOR RENT—APARTMENTS WITH every convenience ROBINSON AND COCHRANOUR. 15nov tfd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FRONT room. All conveniences. 407 JOHNSTON AVENUE 10feb3td*

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE, with bath; $18 per month. Inquire HARVEY SILCOX'S MEAT MARKET. 7feb3td

For Sale.

FOR SALE—NO. 1 TIMOTHY HAY and straw. H. W. DETWILER. 7feb3td*

FOR SALE—A FRESH COW. ALSO one to freshen in March—3 years old. JOHN M. DOM, Dawson, Pa. 8feb2td*

FOR SALE—THREE BUILDING lots in East Connellsville—two corner lots $475 each. CLYDE WEHR, Francis avenue. 4feb4td*

Trustee's Sale.

W. R. Johnson, Attorney.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE *of James Beatty, deceased, in partition.* By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Orphans' Court of Fayette county, Pennsylvania, at No. 51, March Court, 1912, dated January 6, 1913, I will offer at public sale on the premises on Wednesday, February 12, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock P. M., all that certain tract of land situate in Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pennsylvania, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning with a post, corner with land now or formerly of Harris Work; thence South 28 degrees East 28 perches to B. O. stump; thence South 30¼ degrees East 40½ perches to a post; thence South 55 degrees East 60½ perches to a post and stone; thence South 49 degrees West 1.8 perches to a post; thence South 60½ degrees West 135 perches to post and stones; thence North 40 degrees West 105.4 perches to a W. O. *stump; thence North 18 degrees West* 71.6 perches to a stone; thence North 72¾ degrees East 119.7 perches to a post to the place of beginning; containing 116 acres and 8 perches, more or less, adjoining lands now or formerly of Andrew Work, Harris Work and the heirs of Joseph Torrence, deceased.

Being the same premises conveyed to the said James Beatty by Andrew Work, Sr., and wife, by deed dated February 23, 1884, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Fayette county, Pa., in Deed Book 15, page 102, with the privilege to enter upon and quarry limestone from land adjoining the above as set forth in above mentioned deed, and with the right as modified as to location, by indenture dated April 1, 1890, and recorded in aforesaid office in Deed Book Vol. 91, page 53, which gives the right to quarry limestone from two acres of land for the use of the above described farm forever, which right will be said with said farm

Excepting and reserving all of the coal of the nine foot vein of Connellsville seam in and underlying the above described tract of land, with the same mining rights and privileges that are contained in deed from said James Beatty to H. Myers Null, Jr., dated August 7, 1879, and recorded in aforesaid office in Deed Book Vol. 35, page 501.

Also excepting and reserving from out of the above described property a two acre lot known as the John Sherrer lot; also excepting and reserving from *out of the above described property* a lot of ground now occupied by Emma Sherrer on which is erected a two-story frame dwelling house.

On the above tract of land to be sold are erected a frame dwelling house of eight rooms and outbuildings, an apple orchard and about six (6) acres of good oak timber

Terms of Sale—The above described properties to be sold on the following terms, to-wit: Fifteen (15) per cent of the entire purchase money to be paid on the day of sale, balance of one-third on confirmation of sale by the Court, one-third in six months from confirmation, and the remaining one-third in one year from confirmation. Deferred payments to bear interest from confirmation, and to be secured by purchase money mortgage and bond on the property sold. Said mortgage to contain the usual thirty day Scire *Facias clause and five (5) per cent* attorney's commission.

The Trustee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. R. M. CARROLL, Trustee, Uniontown, Pa.

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Notice of Appeals.

PERSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS of the laws of this Commonwealth, the Commissioners of Fayette County, Pennsylvania, give notice to the taxable inhabitants within the respective boroughs and townships of the said county, that the days of appeals for the triennial year of 1913, are as follows, to wit:

COURT OF APPEALS.

Georges Township and Fairchance Borough, Tuesday, February 25, 1913, at Albion Hotel, Fairchance, from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

German Township Wednesday, February 26, 1913, at McClellandtown, from 11 A. M to 3 o'clock P. M

Luzerne Township, Thursday, February 27, 1913, at Heisterburg, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M

Redstone Township, Friday, February 28, 1913, at Amos Davidson's Hall on National Pike, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Jefferson Township Monday, March 3rd, 1913, at Town Hall, from 10 A. M to 3 o'clock P. M.

Franklin Township, Tuesday, March 4 1913, at Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, Flatwoods, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M

Perry Township, Wednesday, March 5, 1913, in Perryopolis, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Uniontown Borough, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th wards, Thursday, March 6, 1913 at Commissioner's office Court House, Uniontown, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.

Uniontown Borough, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th wards, Friday, March 7th, 1913, at Commissioners' office Court House, Uniontown, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M

North Union Township, Monday, March 10, 1913, at Commissioners' office, Court House, Uniontown, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M

South Union Township, Tuesday, March 11, 1913, at Commissioners' office, Court House, Uniontown, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.

Connellsville Borough, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th wards, Wednesday, March 12, 1913, at Town Hall, Connellsville, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Menallen Township, Thursday, March 13, 1913, at Faddenville, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Dunbar Township and Dunbar Borough, Friday, March 14, 1913, at Central Hotel, Dunbar, from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Bullskin Township, Monday, March 17, 1913, at Pennsville, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Everson Borough and Upper Tyrone Township, Tuesday, March 18, 1913, at Eureka Hotel, Everson, from 10 A. M to 2 o'clock P. M.

Smithfield Borough, Wednesday, March 19, 1913, at Smithfield, from 10 A. M to 12 M. o'clock.

Nicholson Township, Wednesday, March 19, 1913, at Anderson's X Roads, from 1 o'clock P. M. to 4 P. M.

Point Marion Borough, Thursday, March 20, 1913, at Point Marion Hotel, from 8 A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.

Springhill Township, Thursday, March 20, 1913, at Morris X Roads, from 12 M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Vanderbilt Borough, Friday, March 21, 1913, at Vanderbilt Hotel, from 9 A. M. to 11 o'clock A. M.

Connellsville Borough, West Side, 6th and 7th wards, Friday, March 21, 1913, at Columbia Hotel from 12 M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Connellsville Township and South Connellsville Borough, *Monday*, March 24, 1913, at Town Hall, Connellsville, Pa. from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Dawson Borough and Lower Tyrone Township Tuesday, March 25, 1913, at Dawson Hotel, Dawson, from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Masontown Borough, Wednesday, March 26, 1913, at LeRoy Hotel, Masontown, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Fayette City Borough and Washington Township, Thursday, March 27, 1913, at Town Hall, Fayette City, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Belle Vernon Borough, Friday, March 28, 1913, at Hotel Kyle, Belle Vernon, Pa from 11 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Brownsville Borough and Brownsville Township Monday, March 31, 1913, at Town Hall, Brownsville, Pa., from 9 A. M. to 12 M. o'clock.

South Brownsville Borough 1st, 2nd and 3rd wards, Monday, March 31, 1913, at Bar House, South Brownsville, Pa., from 1 P. M. to 4 o'clock P. M.

Wharton Township, Wednesday, April 2 1913 at Olewine's Hotel, Chalk Hill, Pa. from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Henry Clay Township and Markleysburg Borough, Thursday, April 3, 1913, at Joseph Humbertson's, from 9 A. M. to 12 M. o'clock

Ohiopyle Borough and Stewart Township, Friday, April 4, 1913, at Ohiopyle Hotel, Ohiopyle, Pa., from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M.

Springfield Township, Monday, April 7, 1913, at Normalville, Pa., from 12 M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

Saltlick Township, Tuesday, April 8, 1913, at Margaret Miller's, from 9 A. M. to 12 M o'clock

Persons who have money at interest will take notice that at that time the amount of said money in Fayette County will be reported to the State and that Fayette County will be charged by the State therewith and that no exonerations can then be allowed by the commissioners on money at interest.

The County levy for 1913 is 5 mills. (4 county and 1 road.) For State purposes four mills. Tax on male dogs 50 cents each, on female dogs $1.00 each. No exonerations will be allowed for dog or dogs except the person or persons claiming such exoneration procure a certificate from the assessor of the district recommending the exoneration, and further no tax collector will be allowed to exonerate any person or persons from the dog tax except by exoneration certificate from the County Commissioners

JOHN S. LANGLEY,
E. H. McCLELLAND,
CHARLES H. HUTT,
Commissioners of Fayette County, Pa.

Attest:—
ROBERT POWELL, Clerk.

All taxables are hereby notified to pay especial attention to dates and hours of appeals.

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The most beautiful display of these we have ever shown. However, we do not ask you to take our opinion for it as more than one lady has been heard to remark that they were the prettiest we have ever had and we think you will say the same when once you see them. Entirely new patterns and very dainty. They appeal to the woman with artistic taste in furnishing her rooms and carrying out her color effects. Quite popular for curtains, over draperies, box or trunk coverings, cushions, furniture coverings, fancy work bags, slipper bags, bed covers, comforts, etc., all marked at prices that the outlay will be hardly noticeable. We want you to see them.

Childrens Dresses for Spring

A well selected line of these which will solve the sewing girl problem for many mothers. Colored gingham, galeta, lawn and linens in ages from 6 to 17 years, at 50c to $5.00. Middie Blouses in ages 6 to 12 years at **$1.00 and $1.25.** Children's white dresses in one-half year to 6 years at 25c to $7.00.

New Leather Goods

For neatness of style, beauty and quality we think our new hand bags for ladies are hard to beat. Well made, genuine leather, new mountings and inside equipment, ranging in price from **$1.00 to $5.00.**

E. DUNN

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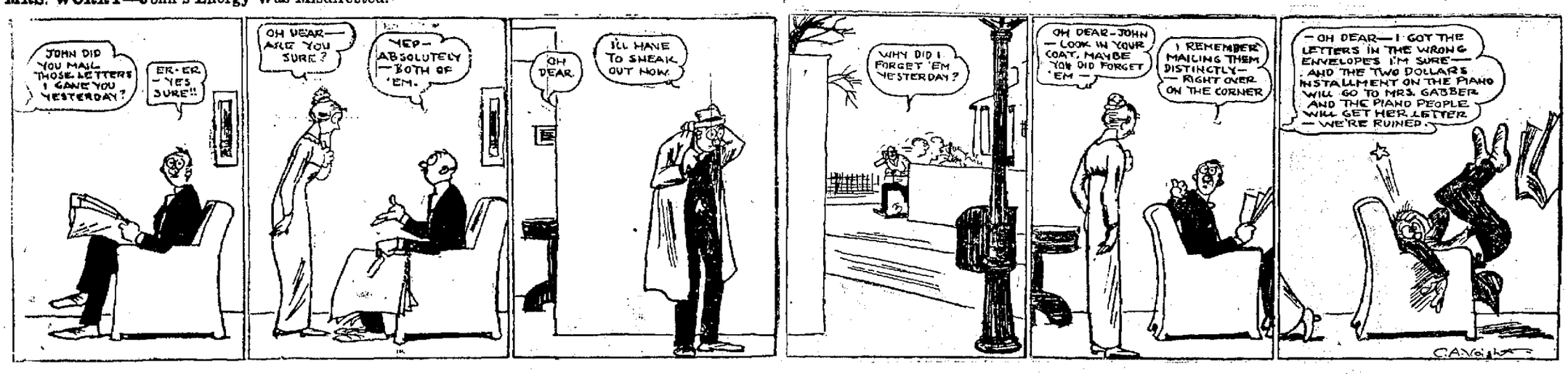

OVER $9,000 IN CASH, WITH NOTES TO MAKE OVER $12,000 GIVEN

Methodist Episcopal Church of Scottdale Clears Itself of Debt.

EXAMPLE TO OTHER CHURCHES

In Manner of Getting Away From Besetting Weight, With Close of Financial Campaign an Evangelistic One is Put Under Way—Other News.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 10.—The entire debt hanging over the First Methodist Episcopal Church for about 12 years was cleared off yesterday morning and in the evening an evangelistic campaign was launched under most promising circumstances. Over $9,000 was received in cash at the morning services and added to this were bankable notes making the total sum subscribed over $12,000. It was a record in church achievement and in the words of one of the speakers will probably set a most encouraging example for other congregations that are in similar circumstances to what the Methodist Church has been.

Under the leadership of the pastor Rev. H. S. Piper, now on his second year at this place, the campaign to clean up the depressing indebtedness was started upon months ago with prayer meetings, evangelistic services on Sunday evenings and the pastor and Official Board quietly soliciting subscriptions. The work was done calmly and prayerfully. Last week envelopes were sent to those of the congregation and friends who were subscribers. The envelope was intended, as fully explained in an accompanying letter to contain cash, check or note for the amount given. Arrangements were made for a bank to carry the notes instead of the indebtedness being carried in one loan for which the officers of the church stood good. Instead of the notes as is noticeable the majority paid the cash.

The entire congregation marched past the altar at the morning services, and deposited in a flower trimmed casket their contribution, and following them came the junior church, the "Junior Reapers" as they were termed, who put in their contributions. A huge bouquet on the altar was presented the pastor by Dr. R. S. Ross, the district superintendent, in behalf of members of the congregation at the close of the service.

The music was an especial feature, a male quartette composed of Thomas Grenfell of McKeesport and Robert B. Barkell of Scottdale, tenors, and W. Scott Lane of Greensburg, and Elmer Morrow of Scottdale, basses, sang, with Edward Stauffer as pipe organist, in the absence of E. A. Humphries the regular organist, whose home is under quarantine for scarlet fever. The music in the morning services was cared for by the quartette and in the evening they lead a great song service.

Dr. Ross preached a strong sermon on "The Private's Place in the Campaign," in the morning, and in the evening Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Jr., D. D., superintendent of the Allegheny district preached on "The Surrendered Life," a strong plea for consecration, at the close of which the officials of the church and a great many of the personal workers came to the altar and signified their intention of working in the campaign of the next four weeks under the leadership of the pastor.

The attendance at both the services was phenomenal both from the point of the large proportion of the membership being out, as well as the great number of friends of the church who were present. The service was in every way one of the greatest that has ever been held in the church. The Rev. H. D. Whitfield of Greensburg, will be the preacher this evening and tomorrow evening.

TWO FIRES.

On Sunday morning there was a small fire in Templeton's bakery on Broadway, doing a slight damage. In the evening a chimney fire at Dr. F. J. Marshall's a little further up street caused some excitement but no damage.

DELIGHTFUL PARTY.

A delightful party was given in honor of Anna Martz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Martz at their home on Broadway, when a score of her friends from the seventh and eighth grades of the Scottdale schools assembled there. A delightful evening was spent with games, music and a dainty lunch. Among those who were present were Grace Lynn, Alma Eberhart, Pauline Kennell, Leo Stickel, Mildred Stoner, Helen Richie, Margaret Carson, Alva Graft, Rex Piper, Ralph Might, Earl Rosselle, Edgar Kromer and Arthur Miller.

CAPITOLS WIN.

In a contest between the Cuneo team of Connellsville and the Capitol team the former lost on the Capitol alleys by a score of 127 pins. The score was as follows:

CUNEO.

Flannery	110	112	87
Wilson	103	95	80
Athind	85	87	82
Tishman	113	101	99
Cuneo	125	84	102
Total	536	479	450

CAPITOLS.

Ruth	88	98	86
Hockenbury	103	104	122
Stouffer	104	116	106
East	95	122	128
Miller	120	108	90
Total	510	548	534

UNIQUE CONCERT.

The pupils of the eighth grade in the public schools were treated to a unique concert given on Friday afternoon by Elmer Morrow, who took a large Victorola to the school building and for an hour and a half entertained the pupils with songs and music of the greatest singers and players. There were 66 pupils of Miss Bess Milich and Miss McLaughlin present.

NOTES.

Dennis Hough, Miss Leulla Hough and George Wallace were among Smithton people who were visitors in Scottdale on Saturday.

Arthur G. Trimble was a Connellsville visitor on Friday evening.

Uriah Hough of Wesley Chapel went to Smithton on Saturday to visit Dennis Hough, Michael Hough and S. L. Smith.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Fretts of near town, a son on Friday.

William Gault of near Tyrone Church, was visiting friends in Scottdale on Saturday evening.

Glenn Hite of Youngstown, O., was here on Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hite of near White School House.

The Rev. R. S. Ross, D. D., of McKeesport, was the guest of Dr. A. W. Strickler on Sunday.

The Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Jr., D. D., of Ben Avon, was the guest of the Rev. H. S. Piper on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank M. Latta of Jeannette, and Samuel Lynn of Ruffsdale, were visiting their sister, Mrs. J. Lester Porter on Sunday.

A. D. Camlin of Pittsburg, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Camlin over Sunday.

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LOST

Wednesday evening between Everson avenue and West Penn waiting room, set of Rosary beads. Reward if left at Steiner's Cigar Store.—Adv.

BOBSLED HITS TEAM

One Boy Badly Hurt; Others Jarred in Scottdale.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 10.—Several eight or nine year old boys coming down Market street hill on a bobsled ran into a team driven by John Loucks on Saturday, and were injured. Torrence Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Freeman, in front of whose home the accident took place, was the worst injured, and had both eyes swollen shut, one side of his face swollen greatly, but no bones broken or any cuts inflicted. A blood clot or a hemorrhage are the most feared. The child has been delirious much of the time since he was hurt.

Charles Eberhart was also hurt and believed to have been struck by one of the horses, but apparently is not so much injured as the Freeman boy.

Joseph Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kennedy, was guiding the sled and escaped with bruises.

There is a turn in the street and teams take to the right side. Mr. Loucks team, people say, hugging the curb as close as it could get to allow the coasters to get past. They could not make the turn, however, and the sled skidded with a sideswipe into the two horses and mixed boys, sled and horses together.

WELCOME NEWS FOR CONNELLSVILLE PEOPLE.

Connellsville people who have stomach and bowel trouble will be glad to hear that the mixture of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka, can be obtained at F. H. Harmening's Druggist, 815 W. Main street. It has been found that JUST A SINGLE DOSE of Adler-ika usually relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation QUICKLY because this simple new mixture drains off such a surprising amount of old foul matter from the body.—Adv.

The Right Start.

It is always important to get the right start in life. Many men who have failed look back to the time when they started wrong. One way to start right is to have a savings account and deposit a portion of all you earn. All successful men agree that this is the first step in a successful career. You can open a savings account with this bank in any amount from one dollar up. The Citizens National Bank, 138 Pittsburg street.—Advertisement.

BUREAU OF MINES SHOWS NEED FOR BETTER BUILDINGS

Director Holmes Points Out Necessity for Appropriation.

$500,000 ASKED OF CONGRESS

War Department Demands Use of Arsenal Grounds in Pittsburg but New Site Has Been Procured; The Buildings Will Be Attractive.

The United States Bureau of Mines, which has been conducting its investigations under difficulties because of a lack of space in the buildings of its experiment station at Pittsburg, has asked Congress to appropriate $500,000 for a series of new buildings, the sum of $300,000 to be immediately available. This appropriation has been included by the Committee on Public Buildings in the general public buildings bill, which has not yet come up for passage.

The experiment station of the Bureau at Pittsburg is located on what is known as the Arsenal property, the work being conducted in buildings entirely unsuited for the present purposes. Some of the buildings were erected nearly one hundred years ago for the War Department and are in a dilapidated state. They were in disuse at the time the Bureau obtained them, but the War Department has recently found that it needs for its own work the buildings or the ground upon which they are situated, and on three different occasions has ordered the Bureau of Mines to move.

The Arsenal property is divided into two sections intersected by Butler street, the larger section having been leased by the War Department to the city for park purposes. This part of the property is not needed by the War Department, but cannot be used by the Bureau of Mines as a site on which to erect buildings because Pittsburg desires to continue the ground for park purposes. The city authorities, in their endeavor to aid the Bureau, however, have offered another site in a different part of the city in lieu of that part of the Arsenal occupied by the park, and this offer, it is understood, is agreeable to the War Department.

Nevertheless the War Department's demand that the Bureau of Mines vacate the buildings on the other tract of the Arsenal property will compel the Bureau to seek new buildings, if its humanitarian mine-safety investigations are to be carried on without hindrance. Dr. J. A. Holmes, Director of the Bureau, appearing before the Committee of Public Buildings and grounds, made the statement that the work of the Bureau, which began in 1904, has never hay any permanent abiding place, but has been moved from place to place at a cost to the Government of at least $150,000.

"We dropped into our present place about five years ago," said Dr. Holmes, "when the War Department allowed us to have about one-third the space we really needed on condition and with the understanding that whenever the department wanted the space we should move out. We are scattered around not only in a number of buildings there but in other parts of the country. The work of the Bureau would be greatly facilitated and the character and efficiency of the work would be tremendously increased if we could get settled somewhere in a place that we could fit up adequately and suitably for the investigations which we have to conduct. We have been doing the best we could without adequate buildings, but we have felt every year that we have been seriously hampered.

"There have been nearly 30,000 men killed in the coal mines within the last ten years and nearly 20,000 seriously injured. The work such as we have been able to do in our present location within the past year has yielded a reduction in the annual loss of life not less than 500, but the great loss is still a discredit to the nation. The investigations that we want to pursue look toward a further reduction in that loss of life.

"In addition to the great work we are doing in protecting the lives of coal miners, we have been able, even with the inadequate facilities we have had, to save the United States Government in actual cash, during the last three years, not less than $100,000 a year in its fuel bill.

"There are six separate buildings proposed—one for one kind of work and another for another kind of work. Each one must be specially adapted to the purpose for which it is intended. That is the reason we cannot rent suitable buildings; we cannot find buildings suitable to our needs. We propose to have the cheapest sort of construction that will be decent to have in a city. We do not intend to have anything ornamental; all we want is a floor and a roof and glass sides."

Dr. Holmes declared that the buildings most urgently needed was one for mine-rescue work. The buildings asked for include:

Mine engineering building, 50 by 200 feet, 3 stories, to cost $100,000, mine-rescue building, 50 by 100 feet, 2½ stories, $40,000; chemical building, 50 by 200 feet, 3 stories, $100,000; explosives building, 50 by 80 feet, 2½ stories, $30,000; mechanical building, 50 by 150, 3 stories, $75,000; fuels building, 50 by 150 feet, $55,000; service building, 60 by 100 feet, $60,000; tunnels, pipe lines, etc., $20,000; sidings, storage bins, approaches, etc., $20,000. Total, $500,000.

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Well known as one of the daintiest of summer materials. Just as soft, sheer and pretty as a fine nainsook. In beautiful floral designs.

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Haledon Repp at 25c.

Another fabric entirely new on the market. Looks like a handsome silk cord stripe. Twenty new colors.

New Voiles at 50c.

The new 40-inch "Providenta" voile in all the delicate tints for spring.

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The Classics By Wire

MISS BO PEEP LOSES VALUABLE HERD OF SHEEP.

Prominent Local Shepherdess Reports Loss of Animals to Police - Heard From in Distant Cities.

June 6, (Special Dispatch)—Miss Bo Peep, only daughter of the late Peter Peep and Mrs. Peep, reported this morning to Captain Mulligan at police headquarters that she had lost the valuable herd of Shropshire sheep left her by her late father. The Captain, who knows the family well, was inclined to regard the matter as a joke at first.

"Has some one got your goat?" he asked in the hearty manner that has made him one of the most unpopular men on the force.

"No," was the serious answer, "I have lost my sheep and don't know where to find them."

The Captain still persisted in treating the matter lightly, observing that it was quite natural that she didn't know where to find the sheep since

Miss Peep, from the painting by Do Chrome.

they were lost. Seeing, however, that the large Collie dog who accompanied Miss Peep was eyeing the calf of his leg with a speculative eye, the Captain quickly became serious and asked for details.

"It came at the very worst possible time," she said. "If the sheep had been lost after I had sold them I wouldn't have cared so much. But they were due to be sheared here in a few days and I had sold their wool to a powder puff concern which had guaranteed a more than fancy price.

"Since Schedule K and the higher price of existing have boosted the value of wool and mutton chops, I have never felt safe about the sheep.

Of course I took precautions enough to discourage an experienced and hardened sheep burglar. Only last week I had a thief-proof time-lock put on the door of the fold. In addition I made my dog Shep—that's him—guard the place every night. To be sure that he kept awake and didn't disturb the lamb's slumber with snoring, I had him drink five cups of strong black coffee for supper every night.

"It does seem illy that such a conspicuous and shifty thing as a herd of sheep could be lost. But that is what happened and it was in broad daylight. It happened thus:

"You know, of course, that I am the only bona fide shepherdess in this township, not counting the occasional apothecary blond that floats in with the pastoral musical comedies. Since this is the case, I naturally take a great deal of pride in my work and try to garb myself as befits my unusual station in life. I use only the best and most graceful crooks, and I get advance sheets from the fashion papers to be sure of having my costumes up to the minute.

"Now, there is nothing harder on the nose than the sheep business. You have to be out in the weather all the time, and before you know it almost, your nose is so shiny that the reflection of the sun on it not only makes you miserable but blinds the eyes and keeps you from seeing well. In the ordinary paths of life a girl without a powder puff is like a ship without a rudder. It is even worse when she is in the wool growing and sheep grazing industry.

"This morning while on my way to the pasture I remembered that it was about time for that good looking Jenkins boy to buzz by in his motor car. He has a fondness for running it through herds of sheep, and there was no telling at what time he might skim around a corner and subtract a few ewes from my flock. I wanted to look my best and reached for my powder puff.

"Imagine my horror to find that it was gone!

"What was I to do? I could see that my nose had a shine on it like a thousand dollar grand piano. My indecision lasted but a moment. Quickly shepherding my wool-gathering wits, I glanced about me and my eyes lighted on the waving white tip of Shep's tail. That gave me my needed inspiration.

"Forgetting all about the sheep, I called the dog and, talking soothingly to him the while about bones, I powdered my nose with the tip of his silky tail. I had plenty of powder in my purse and naturally was careful about dabbing it on. If there is anything I hate, it is to see a girl with her nose powder unevenly or carelessly applied. I took my time, but I was all through in less than an hour.

"When I looked about me the sheep were gone, vanished, invisible. I didn't have any more sheep than a rabbit. At first I thought that some sheep-killing dog had done the gruesome deed. But I had to throw this theory overboard because in that case there would have been some hair and bones left for clues."

She added wrathfully that the good looking Jenkins boy didn't come by after all, and wanted to know if she couldn't sue him on those grounds for the value of her lost flock. The city counsellor did not give her much encouragement on the suggestion.

"Perhaps," ventured Captain Leary, of the detective department, "your own dog committed the crime." After which he placed his pipe back in the northeast corner of his mouth and resumed his attitude of deep thought.

Miss Peep, however, pointed out that she was using the dog all the time and that he couldn't possibly have gone to destroy the herd without taking his tail along with him. The Captain admitted that there was something to this view of the case but would not admit that his theory was entirely unsound.

The authorities reassured the young woman and advised her to proceed to her home. They confidently predicted that the sheep would come home wagging their tails behind them.

Turn in road where sheep were last seen.

Miss Peep was somewhat nettled by this time and left police headquarters after getting rid of the caustic remark that if they did come home they certainly wouldn't be wagging their tails in front of them.

Description of the missing beasts have been sent broadcast to the police of other cities.

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National Stock Yards, Ill., Jan. 5.—A large number of sheep answering exactly the description of the lost Bo Peep animals has been found in the pens at this place. The Beef Trust claims that the mutton belong to them and decline to give them up. Since the Beef Trust has a habit of claiming everything in sight, their right to t valuable animals will not be conceded until local authorities have made a thorough investigation of the case.

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Pocatello, Idaho, Jan. 5.—A flock of sheep of the Shropshire persuasion were seen wandering about the plains near this city early this morning by a wooden-legged piano tuner. They seemed to be somewhat fatigued as though they had walked a long way, and answered the description furnished local police of the missing Peep herd. They are being held in the municipal pound.

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El Paso, Tex., Jan. 5.—The missing Bo Peep Shropshires were discovered here this morning grazing in a vacant lot near the river. A message has been sent to the owner telling her to come and claim the property.

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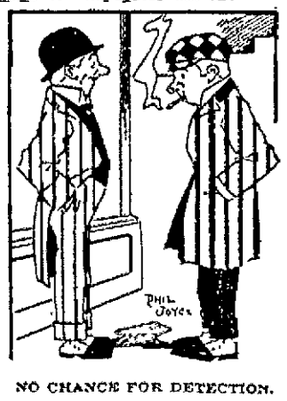
Nome, Alaska, Jan. 5.—A flock of sheep, which the description of the Peep herd fits without a wrinkle, was discovered and apprehended here this morning. The police have telegraphed the news to the owner of the mutton.

F. S. TISDALE.

INFERENTIAL EVIDENCE.

"Now, my boy, what are you going to do with that snowball?"

"What would you have done when you were a kid if an old guy had went past with a plug hat on?"



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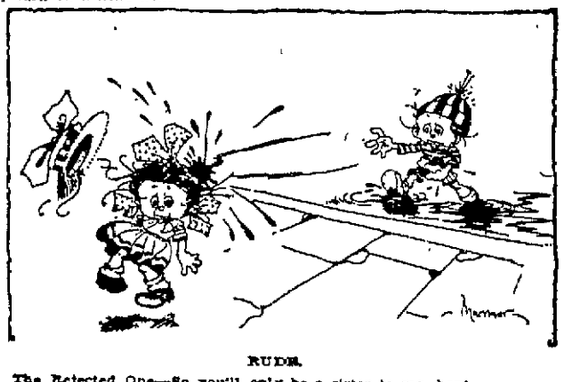
LITERALLY.

Mrs. Flatt—What did you say to the janitor, dear?

Mr. Flatt—I told him he could make some warm friends if he would only turn on a little heat.



RUDE.

The Rejected One—So you'll only be a sister to me, hey! Well, this is how I treats my sisters!

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Bank Statements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Perryopolis, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$228,550.81
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		691 85
U. S Bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,800.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		118,000 00
Banking House Furniture, and Fixtures		2,200.00
Due from approved reserve agents	$217,049.88	
Checks and other cash items	414 02	
Notes of other National Banks	15,000.00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	273.72	
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	25,433.00	
Legal-tender notes	3,310.00	162,380.62
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$566,123.28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00	
Surplus fund	65,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	4,821.53	119,821.53
National Bank Notes outstanding		50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	$ 61.70	
Dividends unpaid	65.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	395,730.60	
Cashier's checks outstanding	444.45	396,301.75
Total		$566,123.28

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, Howard Adams, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD ADAMS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1913.

A. VAN HORN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

M. M. COCHRAN,
J. H. PRICE,
M. E. STRAWN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$547,740.25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		.97
U. S Bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
Other bonds to secure postal savings		11,400.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		3,000.00
Banking House Furniture, and Fixtures		61,500.00
Other real estate owned		11,034 81
Due from approved reserve agents		79,362.68
Checks and other cash items		4,353 97
Notes of other National Banks		1,040 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		375 00
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$19,127.55	
Legal-tender notes	21,000.00	40,127 55
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$800,440 79

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$100,000.00
Surplus fund		125,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		14,802.80
National Bank Notes outstanding		98,900.00
Dividends unpaid	$ 72.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	471,580.09	
Demand certificates of deposit	23,444.79	
Certified checks	317.40	
Cashier's checks outstanding	182.03	
Postal savings deposits	5,101.77	500,737 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for Money borrowed		30,000 00
Total		$800,440 79

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, James L. Kurtz, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES L. KURTZ, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1913.

J. B KURTZ, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

S. J. HARRY,
F. A. KAIL,
GEO. W. CAMPBELL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$448,144.09
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		700.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		67,294.04
Banking House Furniture, and Fixtures		215,015.00
Due from approved reserve agents		91,400.82
Checks and other cash items		2,857.16
Notes of other National Banks		125.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		14.41
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$26,526 40	
Legal-tender notes	8,235.00	34,761.40
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$912,811 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00	
Surplus fund	100,000.00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	68,191 02	
National Bank Notes outstanding	50,000 00	
Dividends unpaid	$ 950.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	625,896.19	
Demand certificates of deposit	34,170.32	
Certified checks	4,094.49	664,620.00
Total		$912,811.02

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, J. A. Armstrong, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of by knowledge and belief.

J. A. ARMSTRONG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 1913.

JOSEPH A. MASON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CYRUS ECHARD,
WORTH KILPATRICK
CHAS DAVIDSON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$1,282,858.50
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		801.29
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		75,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,800 00
Bonds, securities, etc		201,829 22
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures		206,749 86
Other real estate owned		17,928.47
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		47,422 68
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks		4,171.05
Due from approved reserve agents		276 847 20
Checks and other cash items		2,199 35
Exchanges for clearing house		776.88
Notes of other National Banks		34,185.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		852 98
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$139,000.62	
Legal - tender notes	5,000 00	144,000.62
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		3,750 00
Total		$2,389,473.10

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$	75,000 00
Surplus fund		200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		21,161.78
National Bank Notes outstanding		75,000 00
Due to other National Banks	2,838 94	
Dividends unpaid	1,434.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,875,559 08	
Demand certificates of deposit	123,590 99	
Time certificates of deposit	1,000 00	
Certified checks	1,185 29	
Cashier's checks outstanding	12,396.11	2,018,011.41
Total		$2,389,473.10

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, E T. Norton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. T. NORTON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 1913.

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN D. FRISBEE,
ROBERT NORRIS,
W. F. STAUFFER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COLONIAL NATIONAL BANK, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$328,597.27
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		741.46
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		3,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		19,850.00
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures		72,500.00
Other real estate owned		354.30
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		181.92
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks		652.09
Due from approved reserve agents		11,834.61
Checks and other cash items		676.82
Exchanges for clearing house		8,977.05
Notes of other National Banks		7,310.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		496.15
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$21,085.45	
Legal-tender notes	3,500	25,485.45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$586,157.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$100,000 00
Surplus fund		38 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		1,207 35
National Bank Notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other National Banks		4,068 44
Dividends unpaid		219 00
Individual deposits subject to check	$323,081.80	
Demand certificates of deposit	5,087.01	
Time certificates of deposit	8,489.00	
Certified checks	79.62	
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,024.00	341,762.43
Total		$586,157.12

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, H. E. Schenck, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. E. SCHENCK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 1913.

PAUL B. DICK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

P. H. BEIGHLEY,
HARRY DUNN,
W. N. LECHE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE YOUGH NATIONAL BANK, at Connellsville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$713,000 13
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		737.16
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		75,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,950.00
Bonds, securities, etc.		55,641.65
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures		76,533.02
Other real estate owned		10,338.75
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		3,489.28
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks		5,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents		70,569.17
Checks and other cash items		2,584 95
Notes of other National Banks		2,200.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		173.38
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$47,145.45	
Legal-tender notes	10,500.00	57,645.45
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,150.00
Total		$1,077,012 94

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$	75,000 00
Surplus fund		75,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		6,746.11
National Bank Notes outstanding		66,800.00
Dividends unpaid		240.00
Individual deposits subject to check		866,431.11
Demand certificates of deposit		157 45
Time certificates of deposit		40,702 84
Certified checks		2,360 83
Cashier's checks outstanding		3,475.00
Total		$1,077,012 94

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, E. R. Floto, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. R. FLOTO, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of February, 1913.

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. M. KEPHART,
W. F. STAUFFER,
H. C. HOFFMAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF VANDERBILT, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$121,460 50
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		28.07
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		4,450.00
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures		10,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents		18,228 46
Checks and other cash items		151.63
Notes of other National Banks		200.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		144.51
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$37,994.00	
Legal-tender notes	250.00	38,244.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$866,463.39

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$	50,000 00
Surplus fund		150,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		8,172.86
National Bank Notes outstanding		50,000.00
Due to other National Banks		414.15
Individual deposits subject to check		607,809.74
Cashier's checks outstanding		66.64
Total		$866,463.39

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, R. D. Henry, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. D. HENRY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1913.

A. VAN HORN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

M. M. COCHRAN,
J. H. PRICE,
JOSEPH OGLEVEE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DAWSON, at Dawson, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, February 4th, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$366,476 20
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		223 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U S. Bonds		950 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		145,431.70
Banking House, Furniture, and Fixtures		2,400.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		61.70
Due from approved reserve agents		253,329.31
Checks and other cash items		1,055.64
Notes of other National Banks		5,750.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		41.45
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$37,994.00	
Legal-tender notes	250.00	38,244.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$866,463.39

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$	50,000 00
Surplus fund		150,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		8,172.86
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State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, R. D. Henry, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. D. HENRY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1913.

A. VAN HORN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

M. M. COCHRAN,
J. H. PRICE,
JOSEPH OGLEVEE,
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JOHN RAWN PROMINENT CITIZEN

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"The real trouble with business to-day," interrupted the gray-bearded man, reverting to his universal and invariable grievance, "is that things are all going wrong with the American people. These Progressives down there at Washington have set this whole country by the ears—not even the Supreme Court can square things any more. The suspiciousness of the average man is getting to be almost criminal, that's what it is. The public thinks every man with money is a rascal. The public is damnably ungrateful. Look what we have done for this country, this little set of men sitting right here—what we've built for them, what we've paid out to them for wages! What are we getting in return? They envy us our daily bread, and by the Eternal! they'll come near putting us where we can't get that much longer! Look at the railway rate cases—it's robbery of the railways. Capital hasn't any chance any more! The public seems to be getting ready for anarchy; that's all."

"Isn't it the truth?" remarked the slender, man sympathetically. "Still, we have to handle men as we find them, my friends. In my own case, I've been fighting the devil with a little of his own fire."

"How's that?"

"Well, for instance, I went out to see if I couldn't land that little secret of the receiving motor myself, as I just told you. If International doesn't want to take me in, or if I can't break in, maybe there can be another company formed—there's considerable corporation room left in New Jersey. You folks on the International have been having your own troubles with labor, haven't you?"

"Well, rather!" growled Ackerman. "We put that up to old Colonel J. R. Bonehead, our president! He seems to have got in about as nearly wrong as any one could with our esteemed friends of the labor unions!"

"Naturally; well, I'll make a confession, since we're all friends together—I've had men conferring with your horny-handed citizens and suggesting that the International Power Company was 'unfair,' and a bad outfit to work for!"

"That was nice of you!" growled Ackerman, getting red in the face. "Fine business, for you to come snooping around our works."

The slender man smiled at him pleasantly. "How else could I get information?" he inquired. "You must remember that I'm no longer on the board! But you must remember, also, that of late I have picked up an occasional dollar's worth of International. I wanted to know how about certain things!"

"Well, how about them, then?" demanded Standley fiercely. "Where do we stand?"

"You want me to incriminate myself!"

"Oh, diddlesticks about incrimination! Cut out that part of it!"

"All right, I will," said the other grimly. "Well, then, I've tried my best to bribe your people, and I've got little out of it. I've tried the foreman, the night watchman, and everybody else. I've had a dozen of your workmen slugged for scabbing, and four or five of them shot, one or two at least, for a good, permanent funeral. And I paid the funeral expenses! You didn't know that? Well, that's the truth of it!"

"Well, what do you know about that!" gasped Standley, aghast.

"I know a good deal about, my Christian friend," said the slender man relentlessly. "I can tell you what you already know, that your motors are dismantled to-day. I can tell you also that there's a very good chance that the secret we've been after is in the hands of one man, and he's holding it up for some reason best known to himself. We've got nothing on him! I can also tell you that if he won't give up—though why he won't I can't imagine—it's possible we can work out a receiver of our own elsewhere, without him."

"Well, what does he want?" This from the old man.

"That's the everlasting mystery and puzzle of it. He doesn't want anything, so far as I can learn. There's some factor in him that I can't get my hands on, try the best that I can. Not that I don't expect to break you wide open eventually, my friends."

"Now why do you want to do that?" asked the older financier. "Why not join in with us and break the bonehead?"

"Fine! But how can we do that? He's sitting pretty tight. The man's played in fine luck. I admit I rather admire him."

"Bah, that's the way with all the new ones; they all play in luck for a time. Each Napoleon has his boom, but after a time boom values shrink—they always do. This chap'll find his level when we get ready to tell him."

"For instance?"

"Well, for instance, then! He's sitting there with a small margin of control in the International. That gave him his start, and he's wise enough to hang on to that. But it didn't give him his money—he's only made dividend money out of that; and who cares for dividend money? He doesn't own control in the Guatemala Oil Company, does he? He's made a lot out of Arizona and Utah coppers, but he doesn't own control in a single company there, does he? He's in with the L. P., but he borrowed to get in. He's made a big killing in Rubber, but he doesn't own any Rubber control of his own, does he? Now, you follow him out in every deal he's made—iron, copper, steel, oil, rails, timber, irrigation, utilities, industrials—and you'll find he's simply banking on his inside information and on his outside credit. Who gave him both of those things?—Why, we did, didn't we? All right! Suppose we withdraw our credit. What happens?"

They went silent now, and grouped a little closer about the tabouret which stood between them. The old man's voice went on evenly, with no excitement. Their conversation attracted the attention of none in the wide lounging room, where large affairs more than once had been discussed—even the making of Senators to order.

"I'll tell you what happens," the old man resumed. "He quits using us for a stalking horse, and he comes down to his own system. He's spread out. Banks are all polite, but—well, he has to put up collateral; and then some more. If he doesn't want to put up International, he's apt to find that a bunch of automobiles is poor property when sold at twenty per cent. their cost. He turns off two or three butlers, but still that doesn't serve for margins. The market doesn't suit his book any more.

"He's discovering now the truth of something my old friend Emory Storrs used to say—Emory always was in debt, or wanted to be, and says he: 'There's no trouble about prosperity in this country; there's plenty of money—the only trouble is in the confounded scarcity in collateral.' Well, he goes over to this young man, who is standing out for some reason best known to himself, and he tries to get him to come through, and he doesn't come through. What's left? Why, the diamond lightnings of the Lady of the Lightning—and his International Power stock.

"Meantime, all this thing can't be kept entirely secret; that is to say, the market part of it can't be. But we sit tight, all of us. We hold our regular directors' meetings of the International board, and we smile, and look pleasant. We don't know a thing about his hot water experiences in the open market. He explains to us why this and that happens, or doesn't happen, in International; and we smile and look pleasant, and we don't know a thing. After a time it's up to him and the Lady of the Lightnings. Something pops! He's up against it, all except his International Power. Then Van, and you, Standley, and you, Ack, and you, and you and I, and all of us—why we're still pleasant as pie to him and we say, 'Well, Mr. John Rawn, if you'd only sell us two or three shares of International, we'd pay you twenty times what it's worth—but it's very much cheaper now—by reason of Van's competing company!'

"That's about all, I think!"

The others nodded silently. The game was not new to them, and even in its most complicated features might have been called simple with resources such as theirs. If these resources had made Rawn, they could

"Meantime, All This Thing Can't Be Kept Entirely Secret."

unmake him. It was all in the day's work for them.

"So I'll tell you what we'll do," concluded the old financier after a time. "We'll just let you and Van look around here a little bit and see what more you can learn. You're one of the real directors of International Power to-day, Van. Mr. Rawn is on the minority and the toboggan list, or is going to be there. We'll take the first steps when we see the boys down East. The country's getting right now for a little speculation—things have been dead long enough. There'll be a market. When the market starts, I think you know which way it will go for a certain person I needn't name."

They rose, stood about loungingly for a time, and at length slowly separated, the older man and the ex-director with the pointed beard falling back of the others for just an instant.

"What's the truth about the row, Van?" demanded the old man, laying a large, pudgy hand on the other's shoulder.

"I don't know, honestly, what it is. I can tell you this much—your factory is closed. Your superintendent, Halsey, has quit his work and left his old residence. Didn't Rawn tell you that?"

"No! What's up now—some trouble with a woman? Wasn't he married to Rawn's daughter?"

"Yes, and she went to live with Papa. Papa had the coin."

"And the superintendent is going the chorus girl route here or in New York?"

"No, sir, not in the least—nothing of the sort. You can't guess where's he's gone."

The other shook his head.

"Well, I'll tell you then, since you are one of the directors of the International and I'm not! He's gone and taken his other pair of pants and his celluloid collar, and moved over to the North Shore! He's living in the same house with Papa J. Rawn right now;—that is to say, he has been for two or three weeks."

"Well, what do you know about that, too!" commented his friend.

"I don't know much about it. As I told you, there's something in here I don't understand. I can't for the life of me figure out that chap Halsey's motives or his moves. But I don't care about him. It's Rawn I'm after—and I'm going to get him!"

CHAPTER XVIII.

They Who Sow the Wind.

The information given by the ex-director in regard to the whereabouts of Charles Halsey was substantially, if not circumstantially, correct. He had, indeed, done the most unlikely thing. He had taken up his abode, for the time at least, at the very place to which he might have seemed least apt to return; that is to say, the home of his father-in-law, John Rawn.

Many things moved Halsey to this action. In the first place, having ended his labors, he found no reason for any pretense of continuing them. Again, although he fully intended to bring divorce proceedings, and fully intended to leave the city, he was unwilling to depart without seeing once more his wife and their child, because news came to him of the little cripple's serious and continued illness. In point of fact, Grace Halsey, unhappy, morose, and now jealously suspicious, had brooded over her unfortunate situation in life until she also really was ill. Halsey grieved over this, in spite of all. As to the little hunchback, Laura, she had known only illness all her life; and Halsey, father after all, felt some foreboding which made him unready to leave for yet a time.

Halsey, in spite of his own bitterness of soul, realized that Rawn himself was well-nigh crazed by the business situation, and his conscience misgave him when he reflected upon the sudden consequences of his own acts. His sense of business honor and of personal justice told him he owed even so unreasonable a man as Rawn some sort of definite accounting for his own stewardship, unwelcome as another meeting between them must be to both.

Lastly, it may be added, Virginia Rawn had sent for him.

When he received her message he spent a night resolving that he would not go, that he would never again see either her or Grace; never again would set foot on ground belonging to John Rawn, come what could, let be lost what any of them all might lose. In the morning he changed his resolution. By evening of the next day he was at Graystone Hall.

To his surprise, he found it not immediately necessary to patch a peace with the master of Graystone Hall, for Rawn was absent. The great mansion seemed strangely and suddenly changed. An air of anxiety hung over all, the place was oddly silent. The servants went slipshod about their duties, and their mistress did not chide them. Swift disintegration of the domestic machine seemed to threaten; mysterious danger seemed to menace the very structure itself, long of so bold and indomitable front. Halsey still hesitated—and still remained.

Rawn customarily divided his time between the operating headquarters in the western city and the general offices in the eastern capital, but now he had found it needful immediately to transfer all his activities to the latter scene. He did not know of his wife's invitation to Halsey, for he had started from his office, without even advising her of his intention, and even without conversation with her by telephone. He telegraphed from the train, stating that he had been called East on urgent matters. After that, no word at all came from him. It was not known when he would return. Halsey could only wait. In truth, he was little better than a man gone mad himself, and Rawn was worse than such.

Gradually, day by day, hour by hour, the terrible strain of this suddenly developed situation began to show its effects upon Rawn. He slept but little after his arrival in the East, showed himself more and more untidy in personal habits; and lastly, began to seek the false strength of intoxicating drink. His demeanor in his relations with his urbane associates lost its usual arrogance. John Rawn, into dictator, became explanatory, conciliatory—a change of mind which had visible physical tokens. His eye became weaker and more watery, his shoulders more drooped, his voice more quavering, his address less, abrupt and domineering.

John Rawn was a broken man, and began to show it. Wherefore his late friends exulted. The wolves, ranged in circle, lick their chops when the wounded bull totters upon his uncertain legs. Certain large financial figures in the eastern city licked their chops, and smiled grimly, wolfishly, in contemplation of John Rawn as he tottered.

Yet Rawn himself could get no direct proof of the identity of those now secretly assailing him. At the directors' meeting of the International he was received politely and respectfully—with too much politeness and respect, as he felt, although himself unlike the man once wont to rule there with an iron hand. He did not dare tell them of Halsey's defection, could not doubt that they already knew of it; but he met no queries regarding that or anything else in the conduct of the western factory's business. No one seemed to know that the most important of all their factories was closed, after a tedious term spent in incompletion. His associates all were as polite as himself, indeed, more so; as ready as himself to discuss gravely and earnestly any detail of the business which now, as all politely agreed, seemed "somewhat involved," or "somewhat delayed." No one offered any criticism of the executive.

But, what was far more deadly to him, the market seemed most onerously and cruelly oppressive upon the outside investments of John Rawn. International Power was not hammered, for the reason that there was little of it out to hammer. The Rawn stock in International, of course, did not come upon the market. Rawn intended to hold on to that grimly, fighting for it to the last gasp, trusting to chance to mend matters for him at the eleventh hour. But ruin in the general market faced him; and he knew that, with credit gone, the courts would take for his former creditors whatever property he could be shown to have. He saw the shadowy circle of the wolves of high finance. Almost he felt their fangs snapping at his hamstrings.

In these savage hours the mind of John Rawn cast about for rescue, for hope. No rescue, no hope, appeared except one last desperate alternative, purchasable not now with cash or power or influence—since these were gone—but with what other and dearer things remain to a man—things some men, not rotted with the love of self, keep through any or all disaster, prize, even above life and all a life's business success. Halsey! Ah! Halsey was the savior of Rawn—Halsey, the man who had humiliated him in his own home. How could Halsey be secured? There might be brought to bear upon him one influence—that of a beautiful and fascinating woman! What matter if the one woman was his wife, Virginia Rawn? He had already hinted to her of her duty. He wondered now continually whether she had really and fully understood. He wondered what she was doing with Halsey.

As to Halsey, who knew little or nothing of all these turbulent emotions, all these crowding incidents, he found his situation in the great house of John Rawn one wholly to his dislike. He saw little of his wife Grace after the first conventional greeting on his arrival, and as to the young mistress of Graystone Hall, she seemed so regularly to have matters demanding her own presence elsewhere, was so busy with other matters, as to have small time for him. The disturbed condition of the stock market was creating a furor in the business world, reflected, of course, in the daily markets of the western city; but Halsey had never had many investments, had watched the markets little; and now, isolated at Graystone Hall almost as much as though upon a desert island, and too much disturbed and distracted in his own mind to find any definite interest in business matters, was hardly conscious of the storm that raged. He simply waited on, unhappily. It seemed to him there was no place for him in all the world. Why did Virginia remain aloof?

Rawn, absent, in New York, imagined his wife engaged continuously in the struggle of persuading Charles Halsey to see the light of reason, although he did not know Halsey was living under the same roof with her. As a matter of fact, Halsey and she met but rarely. Virginia breakfasted for the most part in her own rooms, and found, or pretended to find, something to occupy her for the most part of the day. Not once did she ask his attendance, not once did she speak with him, when by chance she saw him, upon any but casual or conventional matters. She seemed always to evade him; and because she did this, he, rebelling, sought her out all the more, even while continually resolving to take his departure, and never again to see this place, or her, again. He wondered at her reticence, her avoidance of him. He wondered why she was so pale. He loitered about, unhappily, in this or that common meeting ground of the great mansion house, waiting to hear the rustle of a gown upon the stair, the sound of a light foot on a floor, the touch of a white hand, the sound of a voice—all things belonging, not to his wife, but to his young stepmother by law.

Yes. Without his wish, in spite of her wish, these had become things desired, the only things desirable any more in his distracted life. He lived under the same roof with two women, saw either rarely, and rarely thought of but one—the wrong one. To atone, Halsey lavished all his time and care on his little hunchback daughter, and had her with him as much as the nurse and doctor would allow. The child, undersized, pale, deformed, silent and wistful, and pathetic always, now was listless and weak, obviously very seriously ill. It wrung her father's heart to see her. But Charles Halsey wanted it wrung. He wanted to do bitterest penance for what he now knew was his secret sin. So the ways of inordinate power, the consequences, for this one or that one, which follow on inordinate greed, worked themselves out toward their sure and logical ending, the mill of fate grinding those primarily, secondarily, even incidentally guilty.

At this time, had Virginia Rawn asked of him to recant, to relent, to change, there is likelihood he would have done so. John Rawn, cuckold, was right in his despicable reasoning. There are many prices which purchase principles. The weakness which had prompted Halsey to remain at Graystone hall on such a tenure—which held him there now, waiting for a voice, listening for a footfall—was the ancient weakness of youth before youth, of strength before beauty, of the empty heart before one offering love, of the mind finding perfect echo in another mind.

With all his starved heart, all his repressed soul, all his mutinous body, Charles Halsey loved Virginia Rawn.

CHAPTER XIX.

They Who Water With Tears.

As at last the news of John Rawn's collapse broke full and fair—disastrous enough to please even his late warmest friends, the stock markets east and west, became scenes of riot. The truth, of course, had leaked out regarding Rawn's fight in the last ditch. The newspapers swarmed upon Graystone hall, besieging any who could be found. Halsey refused to talk, and moreover, Rawn could not be found. This threw them upon their own resources, and what they did not know they imagined. Even thus, the wildest of them all could not imagine half; the shrewdest of the journalists could not get their hands on the "inside story" here. No one in or around or back of the stock exchanges could be found possessed of secret information which he was willing to impart. Throughout wild hours of hurrying, telegraphing, investigating, the papers kept up their frenzied search for the truth, and found it not, and knew they had not found it.

Halsey, one morning after a sleepless night, more than a week after Rawn's departure to New York, secured copies of each of the morning papers. He stood uncertain, in the great central room of Graystone hall, with these black and frowning messengers of fate in his hands, scarce daring to look at them. He felt some sense of definite disaster at hand. He glanced at last at one, and started as though struck. Calling a servant, he sent word to Mrs. Rawn inquiring if he might meet her at once.

She joined him presently, smiling faintly, giving him her hand, then leading him to a breakfast table on the long gallery facing the lake front, a favorite spot with her. She gave the butler orders to serve them breakfast here at once; for she now learned Halsey had neither slept nor eaten. Halsey did not learn that the same also was true of her.

They seated themselves and for the time said nothing, each gazing out over the lake. The morning was calm and beautiful. The blue lake, just dotted with little whitecap rolling

John Rawn Was Right in His Despicable Reasoning.

waves, seemed in amiable mood, and purred gently along the sea-wall, below the green and curving terrace which ran down from the gallery front. A bird chirped here and there.

Little enough the peaceful scene reflected the feelings of these, its only human figures. Virginia Rawn was pale. Dark rings showed below her eyes. Her mouth drooped just a trifle, plaintively, in a way not usual with her. She was pale, paler than her usual clean and clear ivory. Yet she was coolly beautiful in her morning gown of light figured lawn, with its wide, flowing sleeves, showing her round white arms. Halsey, frowningly serious, felt the charm of her rise about him, overwhelm him. He knew that the hour had come for him in more ways than one; that hers, for ever, was the one face and figure and voice and presence for him, hopeless and unhappy, and doomed for ever so to remain. She was not his wife. She was the wife of another man—of his enemy; the man in all the world least like himself; the man who, by virtue of that unlikeness, had won this woman for his own. What hope for him, Charles Halsey, for whom was no place in the world?

(To be Continued.)

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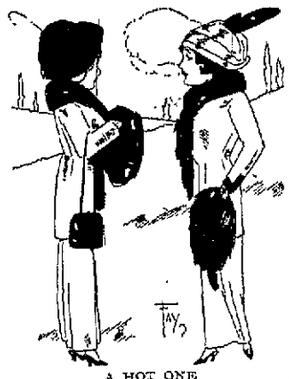
"Yes; he's going to marry Miss Millyuns, the heiress."



A HOT ONE

"When you told the fellow whom I had jilted, that I was married did he seem sorry?"

"Yes; he said he was very sorry, although he didn't know your husband personally."

A FOREGONE CONCLUSION.

"Does Bet powder?"

"Powder? Why, to kiss her is like eating a marshmallow."

MUCH THE SAME.

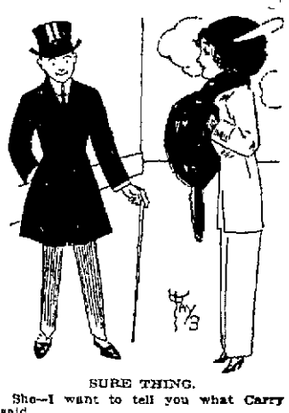
Hubby—Garfield once said: "If you cannot find a way, make one."

Wifey—Yes, and I've noticed that you do the same with regard to excuses.

A HOT CALL DOWN.

English Lord—You-aw-Americans aw-worship the aw—almighty dollar, don't-cher-know.

American Girl—That's because it'll buy anything you Englishman possess or produce.



SURE THING.

She—I want to tell you what Carry said

He—But maybe she doesn't want you to tell.

She—Oh! yes, she does. She expressly said it was a secret

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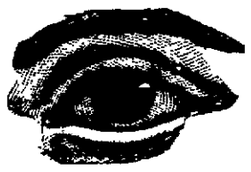

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For one week only, Gold Filled Eye glass Mountings—every pair guaranteed by the makers—fitted with our own lenses—including examination, $1.00.

All frames and mountings are stamped on the bridge Stevens S. Q.—don't take my word. They are gold filled—not gold plated—permanently guaranteed—and will be replaced at any time if they fail to give satisfaction.

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Persons having normal vision will be able to read this print at a distance of 14 inches from the eyes with ease and comfort; also will be able to read it with each eye separately. If unable to do so your eyes are defective and should have immediate attention. When the eyes become tired from reading or sewing, or if the letters look blurred and run together, it is a sure indication that glasses are needed. The lenses sold in the cheap goods are of unequal density and have imperfectly formed surfaces. Continued use of these poorer lenses will result in painful injury from the constant strain upon the muscles of accommodation to supply the defects in the glass.

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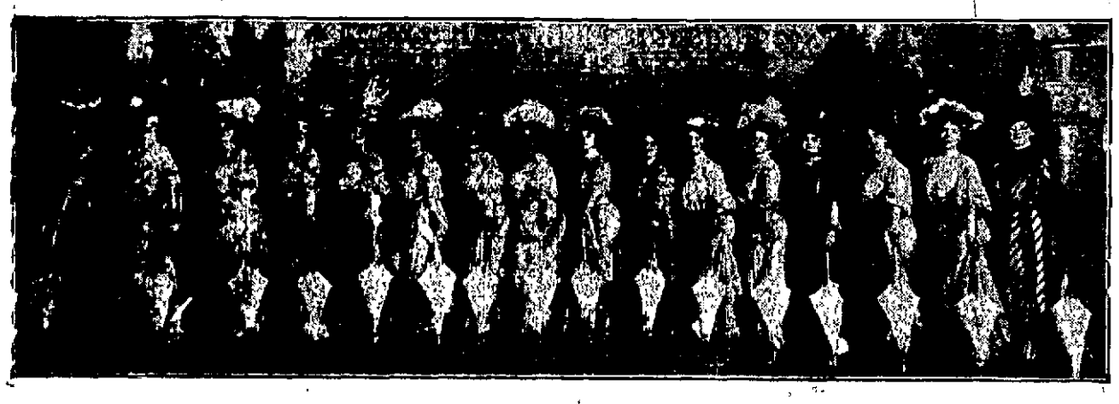
The Mutt and Jeff Beauty Chorus at the Soisson Friday Night.



AT THE THEATRES.

THE SOISSON.

"MUTT AND JEFF."

Gus Hill's production of Bud Fisher's peculiar character creations, "Mutt and Jeff" is undoubtedly entitled to the well worn and oft used expression "The most talked of play of the year." This is one instance when a play, or at least the inspiration for a play of the same title, was immensely popular before it was ever written. The "Mutt and Jeff" cartoons now running in the New York American and hundreds of other daily newspapers throughout the United States, have reached a point of popularity never before achieved by any other series of cartoons in the history of journalism. A few off-hand dashes of a piece of chalk in the hands of a clever artist, has made two continents indulge in a daily "laugh fest." All glory to the brain that conceived the idea. Gus Hill is sending to the Soisson theatre Friday, February 14, a company of 50 people, especially fitted to present "Mutt and Jeff" in a musical comedy form. It is openly acknowledged by all that this is the real novelty production of the current year. Much is expected by admirers of Fisher's peculiar studies and the play scheduled to appear in this city will fully realize your most ardent expectations. By all means wait for "Mutt and Jeff," it is one great big laugh.

"THE ROSE MAID."

Some idea of the success achieved by Werba and Luescher's latest opera "The Rose Maid" which Alan Dale in the New York American declared to be prettier than its sister opera "The Spring Maid," may be obtained from the following which appeared the other day in the New York Evening Journal:

"The Rose Maid," the pretty and tuneful operetta now at the Globe theatre, has scored that rarest of rare things in the summertime, a cumulative success. And if you have any doubts as to what that might be, go to the Globe theatre and the crowds there very night will be an explanation.

"It is a not uncommon thing for a comic opera to be successful during the Spring and settle down for a summer run, but that is not what "The Rose Maid" has done. It made its initial bow, and has been settling up weekly to ever increasing receipts that prove it is becoming more and more popular."

"The Rose Maid" will be at the Soisson Tuesday, February 18.

THE ARCADE.

Arcade Theatre Tonight.

Fremont & Stricklin's Combined Dog, Pony and Monkey Circus, consisting of 15 beautiful dogs, funy old monkey comedian also four of the smallest trained ponies in the world These animals take part in a performance complete in every detail, featuring Chequita, the pony with a college education; also Fremont's Aerial Performing Dogs, something never seen before in Connellsville, direct from the Chicago Hipodrome Also Zuigley and Adair in a novelty comedy roller skating act. Three reels of silent players. Matinees daily at 3 o'clock. Two shows nightly, 7.30 and 9 o'clock.

INDEPENDENTS WIN

Defeat Scottdale Quintet in Fast Game at Y. M. C. A.

In a contest more evenly played than the score indicates, the Independent basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Scottdale Independents here Saturday night; score 47-17.

With Wetherell and Lynch at the forward positions, Lynch at center and Stafford and Moore at guard, the home team formed a quintet with which the visitors were unable to cope. Several long shots were made from the center of the floor, and the passing was excellent.

In the visitors' lineup were O'Hara and Lewellyn at forward; Lee, at center and Laughrey and Kelley at guard.

Field goals, Wetherell 3, Goodman 6, Lynch 5, Moore 7, Stafford 1, Lee 4 and O'Hara 5.

Foul goals, Wetherell 0 out of 1, Lee 1 out of 7.

Timer and scorer, Struble. Referee, Fenielio.

Connellsville will line up against McKeesport next Saturday night at home.

COKE BROKERS LOSE.

Whyel Company Gets $5,300 Verdict in Cleveland.

The Whyel Coke Company has been awarded a verdict of $5,300 in the Cleveland courts against J. V. N. Yates, a coke broker. The amount is the full claim, with interest.

Yates, in 1910, it was claimed by the plaintiff company, agreed to sell at least 15 cars of foundry coke a week at $2.85 a ton The broker failed to take the 15 cars, as contracted, and suit was entered.

Special features every day at the New Lyric theatre.—Adv.

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Young Looking People are in Constant Demand Everywhere.

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Free Sign this adv and take it to any of the following druggists, and get a 50c size bottle of HAY'S HAIR HEALTH and 1 cake of HARFINA SOAP FREE, for 50c; or $1 size bottle of HAY'S HAIR HEALTH and 2 cakes of HARFINA SOAP FREE, for $1—Advertisement

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET

The retail produce market this week ruled quiet and supplies were moderate. The sudden cold wave inconvenienced shippers to a large extent and large shipments were difficult to obtain. Many consignments of green stuffs arriving in town were frozen in transit.

Throughout the week storage eggs have been difficult to obtain Dealers' predictions of last week that large quantities stored in coolers in the cities would be put on the market were not fulfilled. Receipts of fresh eggs were moderate, and found a ready outlet at 32 cents

There are no green beans or pineapples in the market. Receipts of strawberries are larger with only a fair demand. Pine apples met with a fair demand at firm prices, while oranges are selling well at top prices There is a fair inquiry for cheese, which is selling at much the same level as last week.

Vegetables.	
Beets, dozen	15
Brussels Sprouts, box	18@20
Cabbage, lb.	04½
Carrots, peck	30@35
Cauliflower, each	25
Celery, bunch	08@10
Egg Plant, each	15@25
Onions, peck	25
Lettuce, lb.	20
Parsley, bunch	07
Peppers, doz	30@35
Potatoes, bushel	55@70
Radishes, bunch	05
Spinach, peck	35
Turnips, bbl.	$1.75@82
Watercress, bunch	05
Fruits.	
Apples, fancy, peck	35
Apples, choice, peck	25
Cranberries, quart	10@12
Bananas doz	10@20
Grape Fruit, dozen	35@60
Lemons, Cal., doz,	25@30
Messina	25@30
Oranges, navel doz	35@40
Oranges, Florida, doz	35@40
Strawberries, box	25@35
Rhubarb, bunch	05
Tangerines, doz	25@30
Butter, Eggs and Cheese.	
Butter, prints, lb, 40c, tubs, lb.	38
Roquefort, lb.	40
Bricketein, lb.	23
Swiss, block, lb	25
Limberger, lb.	20
Eggs, fresh	32
Poultry and Meats.	
Hens, live, lb.	09
Cocks, live, lb.	15
Hens, dressed, lb	25
Cocks, dressed, lb.	20
Young Pigs, each	$3
Beef Steak.	
Round, lb	17@20
Sirloin, lb	20@22
Tenderloin, lb.	30
Porterhouse, lb	30
Veal.	
Chops lb	18
Steak, lb	22
Stewing, lb	15@18
Pork.	
Loin lb	16@18
Chops lb	16@18
Shoulder, lb.	15@18
Butts, lb	14@16
Hams, smoked lb	17@18
Bacon smoked, lb.	16@23
Bacon split, lb.	14@18
Lamb.	
Roasts lb.	12@18
Leg, lb	16@18
Chops, lb.	16@18

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A. A. Clarke Has the New Remedy That is Guaranteed for All Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

Heed the warning; backache means weak kidneys Perhaps they are inflamed or congested from cold or injury but the chances are they are stuffed up, clogged with impure matter

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If you have pains in the bones, sore mouth and throat, ulcers, swollen glands, rash all over the body, locomotor ataxia, etc., or if you have reason to believe that your blood is tainted, call on me at once and let me administer to you the genuine Salvarsan "606" and be cured for life. Instead of taking Mercury and Potash for years. My fee for administering "606" is one-third charged by other specialists.

Hydrocele or water in the scrotum cured without cutting, pain or loss of time

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Contracted Diseases and gleet and all smarting and burning symptoms checked without the use of injurious injections

Lost Vitality, due to indiscretions and excesses I care not how old you are, as I cure you just as sure as you call on me

Nervousness, loss of energy, wornout feeling, bashfulness, backache easily excited, restless at night night losses, under my treatment disappear and vim, vigor and strength are quickly restored

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Today, 10 and 15c

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Three Reels Silent Players.
Matinees Daily, 3.30 P. M.
Two Shows Nightly, 7.30 and 9.00 P. M

School Children's Coupon.
This ticket and 5c admits any school child Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon.

Domestic Sale Begins Thursday

and presents only the first quality, high grade muslins, sheets, cases, bolsters and bed spreads that sell at regular, fixed prices except once or twice a year when our real sales let down the bars. This domestic sale is going to be **THE** event of the white sale, because the offerings are at prices next door to wholesale—their values having steadily advanced since we bought these goods. Some of the items are limited in quantity to our customers, and other items are only on sale until the present stock becomes exhausted. Watch Wednesday and Thursday Papers!

Among the New Rugs Just Opened Are Three Smith Wiltons, 9x12 Size, at $28.00 Each Instead of $35.00. They are in Patterns the Mill Has Discontinued Making

Neat Oriental designs, these unusual-priced rugs, with red and tan predominating. The low price is no bar to the beauty or durability of these rugs—they are the identical $35 quality and perfect in every way. Unusual and charming patterns and colors are among the new 9x12 Hartford Saxony's, **$50.00** each; genuine French Wiltons, **$55.00**, and pure worsted Wiltons at **$37.50**. Body Brussels rugs, 9x12 size, are **$25** and **$27.50** each; Axminsters, deep, heavy pile, **$25.00**.

Odd Size Rugs

Above 9x12 feet, are:—

9x10 6, 9x15, 10.6x13, 10.6x13.6, 11 3x12 and 11 3x15 feet. These sizes in Body Brussels and Wilton Rugs. We have all the sizes under 9x12 feet, too.

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Suits, Coats and Dresses Half

Not a remaining suit in the house is reserved—Women's, Misses' and Girls' sizes, cloth, velvet and corduroy, **half price**. Women's, Misses' and Girls, coats are **half price**, and among them are many exclusive models without a duplicate. The dresses at half price are serge, coline, messaline, charmeuse, corduroy and velvet.

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Plain tailored styles in sizes 38 to 42. Soiled and mussed.

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"Yes; I can give your friend literary work."

"Thanks; he's a good man."

"But hold on! Is he an optimist or a pessimist?"

"What difference does that make?"

"Makes a deal of difference. I want to edit a spring seed catalogue."

HIS EXCUSE.

Guest—Say, waiter, why didn't you bring me a full cup of tea?

Waiter (a wise one)—It was full when I left the kitchen, sir, but the tea is so weak that it just lays down the bottom of the cup, sir

Remodeling Sale

—OF—

Wall Paper, Paints, Varnish Stain, Etc. will start soon.

Watch this space for further particulars.

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A Company of 50. All Alive and Active.

YOU HAVE SEEN THEM CARTOONED AND HAD MANY A LAUGH.
COME AND SEE THE PLAY AND HAVE THE ONE GREAT BIG LAUGH OF YOUR LIFE.

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